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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Admiral Remey cables from Che Foo the arrival of two Japanese transports with troops and stores; reports Chinese defeated in two new positions near Tien Tsin. —— A Shanghai dispatch reports the annihilation of foreigners at Pekin. —— Savannah is to have a union passenger station, to be used by the Seaboard, Southern and Plant systems. —— U. S. Senator John Henry Gear, of Iowa, is dead. —— A dispatch from Consul Goodnow, in China, confirms the belief that the situation is steadily growing worse. —— More cotton mills at Fall River will shut down this week. —— The War Department continues to receive applications from persons desiring to serve in the campaign in China. —— The British consul general at Shanghai says there can be little doubt as to the fate of the foreigners in Pekin. —— The allies in Tien Tsin have decided to confine their efforts to fortifying their positions at present. —— New York markets: Money on call quoted nominal; cotton quiet, middling uplands 10c; flour weak and lower to sell; wheat—spot weak, No. 2 red 85⅝c; corn—spot firm, No. 2 51⅛c; oats—spot quiet, No. 2 29c; rosin steady, strained common to good $1.55; spirits turpentine steady at 46½@47c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., July 14

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 73 degrees; 8 P. M., 77 degrees; maximum, 90 degrees; minimum, 69 degrees; mean, 79 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, —; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, .25.

Stage of water at 8 A. M. at Fayetteville 1.8 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Slightly cooler and cloudy weather continued, with showers in all districts. Over Texas the rainfall was again especially heavy, Galveston reporting 7.88 inches.

FORECAST FOR TO DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—For North Carolina: Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday, light to fresh southeasterly winds.

Port Almanac---July 15.

Sun Rises	4.54 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.16 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 32 M.
High Water at Southport.	9.46 A. M.
High Water, Wilmington.	12.16 P. M.

Gen. MacArthur has 67,000 men in the Philippines, but says he needs that many to police the islands and can't spare any for China.

A Boston paper remarks that if Bryan becomes President he will be President. There will not be any Hannas around with a string tied to him.

The British have lost in South Africa nearly 50,000 men, by death in battle, wounds and disease, as many probably as the Boers ever had in the field.

A rural newspaper asks, "Is it right for an editor to recommend patent medicines?" No, at least not until he has given them a fair trial and they have either killed or cured him.

The expansion organs are congratulating Uncle Sam now a good deal on having the Philippines as a base from which to operate in China. Are they anticipating more racket over there?

Since the understanding between the Sugar Trust and the Arbuckles a few months ago sugar has jumped from 4⅜ to 6 cents a pound. This shows how the combines jump on the people when they can do it.

It is said that Marion Butler has five stenographers and twenty hands at the Pop headquarters in Raleigh getting up political stuff for distribution. That costs something but Hanna, doubtless, foots the bill.

A man of 69 years of age who lost his hearing when a boy of 10 years, had it restored a few days ago by falling from the roof of a house. We would not recommend this remedy in every case, for it has not been sufficiently tested yet.

A French bicyclist did a pretty good business by pumping brandy into his tires instead of air and thus getting it into the towns tax-free. But he got careless and was caught, and now he doesn't fancy riding so much.

In his speech at Statesville last Monday Candidate Spencer Adams declared that if the Amendment be ratified it will be the end of the Democratic party. About that time a Democrat who stood near by almost took his breath away by asking, "if that's so why in the thunder don't you favor it." At last accounts Spencer hadn't sufficiently recovered his equilibrium to answer.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The steamer *Compton* arrived from her second trip to Little River, S. C., yesterday.

— The rosin market was firm at $1.20 to $1.25 per barrel on the local market yesterday.

— The Board of Directors of the Associated Charities will meet in quarterly session to-morrow morning.

— The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon will be led by Mr. W. M. Cumming. Mr. J. E. Dunbar will sing a solo.

— For the benefit of the United Charities an excursion will be run to Carolina Beach on Monday, July 16th. J. H. Whiteman is general manager.

— The STAR has notice of a contribution of $3 by Mrs. C. H. Foy, of Maysville, through Mr. J. E. Sasser, A. C. L. agent at that point for the India famine fund. The amount was sent direct by Mr. Sasser.

— None of the Cape Fear river boats has made trips down from Fayetteville since Tuesday of this week on account of low water. The *Hurt* and *Driver* are both detained above Elizabethtown. The *Hawes* is in this port.

— Mr. James E. Dunbar, formerly choir master of the Monumental church, Portsmouth, Va., will sing "A Dream of Paradise," by Gray; also "Before the Throne of Glory," by Neoin, assisted by the choir, at the First Baptist church to-night.

— There will be a special programme of music at Grace church this morning and to-night. Mr. James E. Dunbar, of Portsmouth, Va., Miss Ella Newman, of Knoxville, Tenn., and Mr. Clarence Bagg, of Binghamton, N. Y., will assist in the singing.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Seacoast Road—Schedule.
A. Shrier—Store of the town.
J. H. Rehder & Co—Big sale.
M. H. Curran—Suits to order.
Fishblate Clothing Co.—At cost.
J. W. Plummer, Jr.—Ice cream.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Always leads.
S. & B. Solomon.—Clearance sale.
Mercer & Evans—Sincere thanks.
Masonic—Meeting Concord Chapter.
Hon. R. B. Glenn—Public speaking.
Geo. O. Gaylord's Branch Store—The ball is over.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

P. H. Hayden—Buggies.
F. H. Krahnke—Just received.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. W. H. Gibson, of Gibson, N. C., was here yesterday.

— Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Powers left last night for Baltimore.

— Mrs. H. Rehder left yesterday for Berkeley Springs, Va.

— Mr. John A. Tate, of Charlotte, arrived in the city last evening.

— Mr. J. A. Peoples, marine engineer, of Georgetown, S. C., is in the city for a few days.

— Mrs. Bruce Williams and Miss Maggie Williams, of Burgaw, are spending some time at Wrightsville Sound.

— Mrs. J. L. Barringer and children of Florence, arrived yesterday to spend some time at Atlantic View Hotel, Wrightsville.

— Mr. H. J. Gerken returned yesterday from Atlantic City where he attended the annual session of the Grand Lodge of Elks of the United States.

— Mr. R. H. Edwards, one of Goldsboro's popular young men, after a pleasant visit to his brother, Mr. J. D. Edwards, A. C. L. ticket agent, has returned home.

— Rev. P. H. Whisner D. D., Corresponding Secretary of the Extension Board of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, is in the city and will preach at the Fifth Street M. E. Church to day at 11 o'clock A. M. Dr. Whisner is from Louisville, Ky.

— Mr. R. J. Hamilton, of White Pigeon, Mich., representing the manufacturers of the famous "Q" flour, of which Messrs. Vollers & Hashagen of Wilmington are distributing agents for North Carolina, is in the city for a few days looking after the interests of his people.

— Rev. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, will leave to-morrow for his annual vacation of six weeks, which he will spend at Virginia Beach and Richmond. Mrs. McClure and son, Alex. D. McClure, will visit in Kentucky during Mr. McClure's absence.

Deeds Recorded.

Two deeds were recorded at the Court House yesterday as follows:

W. B. Davis and wife, of New York, to DuBrutz Cutla, property, 120x330 feet, on Market street between Fourteenth and Fifteenth; price paid. $500.

Mrs. C. C. Whitehead and son, W. G. Whitehead, to Mrs. A. J. Howell, 28x165 feet, on Fifth street between Nun and Church; consideration, $750.

On to Washington City.

Remember day and date Tuesday, July 24 1900, train will leave Wilmington, N. C., A. C. L. Depot, at 8.30 A. M. sharp. All those intend going can secure state rooms by writing either Mr. C. W. Polvogt, Wilmington, N. C., or R. E. Pipkin, Goldsboro, N. C. We want every body to secure state rooms at least one week before July 25, 1900.

R. E. PIPKIN,
Manager.
Goldsboro, N. C. †

WHITE WASHED.

Wilmington's Base Ball Team Shut Out by Club from Charlotte.

THE GAME WAS ONE SIDED.

Latimer Was Invincible, While Coakley Was Hit Hard, With Little Support. Raleigh, 6; Tarboro, 1--Durham Plays Here Monday.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Raleigh, 6; Tarboro, 1.
Charlotte, 9; Wilmington, 0.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-MORROW.

Raleigh at Statesville.
Durham at Wilmington.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Ct.
Tarboro	10	5	.666
Durham	7	5	.583
Raleigh	7	6	.538
Charlotte	5	7	.416
Wilmington	4	7	.363
Statesville	3	6	.333

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 14.—Raleigh to-day defeated Tarboro here in a very pretty game, the score being 6 to 1. The score by innings was as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Raleigh	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	x	—6
Tarboro	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Summary: Two-base hits—Kelly. Double play—O'Brien to Stedman; to Kelly, 2. Hit by pitcher—Crane. Base on balls—By Quick, 2; by Voorhees, 1. Left on bases—Raleigh, 3; Tarboro, 5. Stolen bases—Kelly. Struck out—By Quick, 5; by Voorhees, 1. Time of game—One hour and thirty minutes.

Umpire—Mr. Upchurch.

Attendance—Three hundred and fifty.

Wilmington received her first shut out of the season yesterday afternoon at the hands of the Charlotte club. The visitors played a good game throughout, while the home team played listlessly and never seemed to get into the game at all. Coakley was hit hard and received rather poor support, while Latimer for Charlotte did good work. The game was witnessed by a very large crowd of spectators, among whom were many people from the "Queen City."

The following tells the tale:

First inning, Wilmington—McBride lines out to second; Stearns flies out to Meade; Rea strikes out. Charlotte—Allison hit to pitcher, out at first; Oldham strikes out; Dickson gets hit through pitcher to short; Hayden gets double to right, scoring Dickson; Crawley strikes out.

Second inning, Wilmington—Collier hits safe to left; Summersgill sacrifices; Foster hits down first base line, thrown out, Collier advances a bag; Coakley hits to second, out at first. Charlotte—Meade hit in front of plate, thrown out by catcher; Cuddey singles to center; Robertson flies out to Collier; Latimer reaches first on error by Stearns; Allison strikes out.

Third inning, Wilmington—Fenner strikes out; Gwaltney hits to Meade, thrown out; McBride out on foul fly to Dickson. Charlotte—Oldham singles to left; Dickson hit to third, Stearns throws to Summersgill, who makes error, all hands safe; Hayden flies out to Summersgill; Crawley gets home run over left field fence, scoring three runs; Meade out on fly to Summersgill; Foster flies out to second.

Fourth inning, Wilmington—Stearns hits to pitcher, thrown out; Rea strikes out; Collier singles to right; Summersgill hits to third; Collier forced out at second. Charlotte—Robertson out on fly to Stearns; Latimer strikes out; Allison sawes the air.

Fifth inning, Wilmington—Foster strikes out; Coakley singles to right, out stealing second; Fenner strikes out. Charlotte—Oldham gets scratch hit on third base line; Dickson hits line ball to McBride, who fumbles and throws wild to Summersgill; Hayden gets home run over left field fence, scoring three; Crawley out on fly to second; Meade doubles to center; Cuddey hits to third, thrown out; Robertson thrown out at first on hit to Summersgill.

Sixth inning, Wilmington—Gwaltney goes to first on error by Meade; McBride strikes out; Stearns hits to short, forcing Gwaltney out at second; Stearns steals second and goes to third on wild throw by Oldham; Rea flies out to Meade. Charlotte—Latimer flies out to McBride; Allison hits to short, out at first; Oldham out on fly to Foster.

Seventh inning, Wilmington—Collier flies out to Cuddey; Summersgill gets base on balls; gets out stealing second; Allison out on fly to left. Charlotte—Dickson hits to McBride, who fumbles; Hayden flies out to Collier; Crawley singles to center; Crawley out going to second; Meade strikes out.

Eighth inning, Wilmington—Coakley flies out to left; Fenner hits to third, thrown out; Gwaltney singles to left; McBride strikes out. Charlotte—Cuddey singles to left: Robertson sacrifices; Latimer gets home run over left field fence, scoring two runs; Allison hits to third, and Stearns makes wild throw to first; Oldham hits to pitcher, out at first; Dickson out on fly to Rea.

Ninth inning, Wilmington—Stearns hits to short, thrown out; Rea hits to pitcher, out at first; Collier hits to second, thrown out.

The Official Score.

WILMINGTON.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
McBride, ss	4	0	0	1	1	2
Stearns, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	2
Rea, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Collier, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Summersgill, 2b	2	0	0	5	1	1
Foster, c	3	0	0	7	2	0
Coakley, p	3	0	1	0	3	0
Fenner, 1b	3	0	0	7	0	0
Gwaltney, rf	3	0	1	0	0	1
Total	30	0	4	24	9	6

CHARLOTTE.

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Allison, lf	5	0	0	2	0	0
Oldham, c	5	2	2	7	1	1
Dickson, 3b	5	3	1	1	1	0
Hayden, rf	4	1	2	0	0	0
Crawley, 1b	4	1	2	9	0	0
Meade, ss	4	0	1	2	4	1
Cuddey, 2b	4	1	2	6	2	0
Robertson, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Latimer, p	4	1	1	0	5	0
Total	39	9	11	27	13	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Wilmington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Charlotte	1	0	3	0	3	0	0	2	x	—9

Summary: Struck out—By Coakley, 6; by Latimer, 7. Bases on balls—Off Latimer, 1. Home runs—Hayden, Crawley and Latimer. Two-base hits Hayden and Meade.

Time of game, one hour and forty minutes.

Umpires, Messrs. Battle and Bartlett.

Scorer, Mr. Benj. Bell, Jr.

ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT.

First Battalion North Carolina Boys' Brigade Left Yesterday for Southport. Roster of the Battalion.

The First Battalion North Carolina Boy's Brigade, Col. Walker Taylor, commanding, left yesterday morning for Southport where it will be in encampment for ten days. The following orders have been issued:

HEADQUARTERS FIRST BATTALION NORTH CAROLINA BOYS BRIGADE OF AMERICA, CAMP "WORTH," SOUTHPORT, N. C., JULY 14TH, 1900.—The 3rd annual encampment of this battalion will formally open at Camp Worth (named in honor of our friend and townsman Mr. B. G. Worth as a slight token of our appreciation of the incalculable value his life and example have been to young men) this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock and the following assignments are announced to be in effect during said encampment:

Second Lieutenant J. A. Price with rank as Captain of 1st Company; Private R. P. Presson with rank of Captain of 2nd Company; Private Wilbur Dosher with rank as Battalion Adjutant; Private Thad F. Tyler, Jr., Sergeant Major; Thomas Ramsey, 1st Sgt. 1st Company; Percy Hall, 1st Sgt. 2nd Company. These officers will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

The following hours will be observed during the encampment: Reville 5.30 A. M.; assembly 5.45 A. M.; mess 6.00 A. M.; company drill 6.30 A. M.; re call 7.30; sick call 7.45 A. M.; religious exercises 8.00 A. M.; guard mount 8.45; mess 12.00 M.; battalion drill 3.30 P. M.; dress parade 9.00 P. M.; tattoo 8.00 P. M.; taps 9.00 P. M.

The countersign will be issued daily from headquarters. One officer of the day, one sergant and as many corporals and privates as may be necessary will be detailed daily for guard duty. The hours of bathing will be announced daily. All orders and signals will be issued from headquarters.

By order of Colonel Taylor.
WILBER DOSHER 1st Lieut. and Adjt.

The following is a roster of the Battalion:

Commissioned Officers.—Colonel Walker Taylor, Commanding; Captain James A. Price; Captain, Robt. P. Presson; Adjutant, Wilbur Dosher.

Non-Commissioned Officers.—First Sergeant, Thomas Ramsey; First Sergeant, Percy O. Hall; Sergeant Major, Thad F. Tyler, Jr.; Second Sergeant, Edwin P. Dudley; Second Sergeant, Samuel Brittian; First Corporal, Malcolm Parker; Second Corporal, James W. Orrell; Third Corporal, J. F. Russ; Fourth Corporal, William Curtis.

Privates.—Walter H. Blackmon, George W. Burruss John W. Brown, Alonza Burruss, C. Edwin Bender, Joseph Benson, George W. Farrow, Francis Garrison. Frank Irving, Hans A. Kure, Jr., Chas C. Loughlin, Joseph B. Linder, R. Henry Orrell, Lawrence Pinner, Owen Taylor, Harry Thomas, Cyrus Thomas, Charlie Woodberry.

Musicians.—Albert L. Dosher; Harry Leitgen.

STATE PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIA'N

Twenty-first Annual Meeting Next Wednesday in Castle Hall.

On next Wednesday and Thursday, July 18th and 19th, the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association will hold its twenty-first annual meeting in Pythian Castle Hall, this city, and the local druggists, prominent among whom are members of the Wilmington Drug Association, are already arranging to extend to the State pharmacists a royal welcome upon this occasion.

The meeting will bring from fifty to seventy-five members to the city and a pleasant and profitable session is being looked forward to.

The officers of the association are: J. B. Smith, of Lexington, president; R. H. Jordan, of Charlotte, E. W. O'Hanlon, of Winston, and H. T. Hicks, of Raleigh, vice presidents; P. W. Vaughan, of Durham, secretary; A. J. Cook, of Fayetteville, treasurer; J. H. Hardin, of Wilmington, local secretary. Executive committee, J. M. Scott, Charlotte; A. B. Matthews, Durham; J. H. Bobbitt, Raleigh; G. K. Graham, Dunn; P. W. Vaughan, Durham.

The local committee of entertainment is composed of Messrs. William Niestlie, James C. Munds and Wm. H. Green. President John H. Hardin, of the Wilmington Drug Association, is also assisting the committee in its arrangements.

Mr. William Simpson, of Raleigh, secretary of the Board of Pharmacy, has given notice that the Board will meet at Pythian Castle Hall on the morning of the 17th for the purpose of examining applicants.

Miss Tallulah DeRosset has been engaged as stenographer for the meetings of the Association.

Little Boy's Funeral.

The funeral services over the remains of little Robert Jennings Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Wilson, were conducted yesterday morning at 10 o'clock from the residence, 620 South Second street. Rev. J. H. Hall was the officiating clergyman. The interment was made at Bellevue cemetery.

An Old Negress.

A correspondent writing from Applewhite, N. C., tells of the finding in his district by Census Enumerator Henry Lennon of an old negro woman near Freeman's Cross Roads, who was born in March 1795, which would indicate that she is 105 years old.

The Weather Bureau.

Mr. G. W. Felger, of Grand Haven, Mich., who will succeed Mr. Fallon as Weather Bureau observer in this city, is expected to-day or Monday. Mr. Fallon will leave for his new post of duty about the middle of this week.

THE CRIMINAL COURT ADJOURNED YESTERDAY.

"Peace" Found Guilty of Murder in the Second Degree—Other Cases Disposed of During the Day

After remaining out all night the jury in the case of "Percy of Dominica" and the three co-defendants in the bill sent up by the grand jury charging them with complicity in the murder of Nellie Scott, a deluded colored woman who starved herself to death according to their "religious" teachings, came into court at 9.30 o'clock and rendered a verdict of guilty of murder in the the second degree as to Percy; not guilty as to S. T. Shiver and guilty of manslaughter as to Emanuel Toomer and Sarah Burgwin, the last named having been the woman who remained in the "King's palace," a rude looking hut in Brooklyn, and restrained the deceased woman from eating by the the queer and reprehensible persuasions promulgated by their preceptor, Percy.

Judge Moore's sentence was fifteen years in the State prison as to Percy; four months on the roads as to Toomer, and the Burgwin woman was sentenced to four months in the county jail with the privilege to the County Commissioners to hire out.

The case was hard fought for the defence by Messrs. Grady and Empie and that a conviction was secured is a handsome compliment to Solicitor Rodolf Duffy and Messrs. Koonce and Marshall who assisted him.

The business of the special term of the Criminal Court was not completed until late yesterday afternoon. The case of the religious fanatics consumed about four days of the term and cost the county upwards of $400, but this appears to be no fault of the officers of the court. Business has been dispatched with unusual celerity and the long lapse of time since the court has convened in New Hanover, for reasons patent to all, is responsible for the drawn out term. The next session of the Eastern District Court will be convened here August 6th.

The following are the prisoners sentenced to terms in the State penitentiary during the present term:

John Henegan, burlary, fifteen years in the penitentiary.

Lillie Hicks, burglary, two years.

Josephine Pigford, mayhem, three years.

John Williams, larceny, one year.

"Percy of Dominica," murder in the second degree, fifteen years.

Other cases on the docket disposed of yesterday are as follows:

George Price, Jr., embezzlement; motion to quash allowed; continued for new bill.

S. M. Lewis, submitted to concealed weapons.

George Roderick, assault and battery with deadly weapon; judgment suspended.

Elliott Richburg, assault and battery with deadly weapon; judgment suspended.

Sis Baldwin, larceny; not guilty.

David Jacobs, Jr., assault and battery with deadly weapon; six months on roads.

David Jacobs, Jr., assault and battery with deadly weapon; judgment suspended.

Cases were continued as follows: William Pigford et al., assault and battery with deadly weapon; Mabel Henry, nuisance.

As the law prescribes that special terms of the court shall not be held for a longer period than two weeks, an adjournment was taken yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The last case on the docket was that of George Roderick for carrying concealed weapons, and this was disposed of, the defendant having been found not guilty.

FREE RURAL MAIL DELIVERY.

One of New Hanover's Routes Will Be Put in Operation To-morrow.

One of the free rural delivery routes established in New Hanover county through the efforts of Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy will be made operative to-morrow morning.

The length of the route is 25½ miles and the area embraced has already been given in these columns. The direction will be northeast from the city on the Duplin road to Johnson's canning factory, and thence through the country, returning to Wilmington as given. The area covered is 18 square miles; population served, 530. The carrier will be Mr. F. M. King and the substitute will be Mr. W. H. Mills. The carrier will leave the postoffice at 10.15 A. M. daily and return at 4.30 P. M.

Persons along the route are expected to provide boxes in which mail will be deposited, else the service] will be withdrawn from them. The boxes should be arranged so as the carrier will not find it necessary to dismount.

Delgado Mills is also now receiving the free delivery service. There are two collections and deliveries daily at cottages there.

Negro Shot Last Nnight.

John Howe, colored, aged about 25 years, was shot and seriously wounded last night about 12 o'clock in Wallace's alley, leading from Third to Fourth between Walnut and Red Cross streets. He was shot in the back and the ball came through on the left side just below the ribs. Another ball penetrated the muscle of the left arm. The negro was drunk when carried to the hospital in the patrol wagon a short while afterwards and was unable to give an intelligible account of the shooting. The police, however, are at the bottom of the case, and the guilty party will be arrested.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

The regular quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Associated Charities will be held to-morrow (Monday) at eleven o'clock at the office of the Association.

WHITE SUPREMACY.

Key Note of Campaign Should Induce Registration This Week Certain.

BOB GLENN TUESDAY NIGHT.

He Will Speak at Corner of Seventh and Market Streets—The Campaign in Adjoining Counties—Mr. Lacy Here on the 27th Inst.

It again appears unnecessary to urge upon white men the necessity of registering for the coming election, but with only a few more than 1,500 names on the registration books in Wilmington and the period of registration only one week longer, the situation is far from encouraging. Not only is registration a requisite to voting upon the Amendment but unless one is registered before next Saturday at sunset, he will be debarred from voting for county and legislative officers and last but not least for President. A canvass of all the polling places yesterday evening at sunset showed the following facts. In first precinct of the First Ward W. H. Cox, registrar, only 200 names have been registered; fifty-four since last Saturday. No negroes have been registered at this precinct. In the second division, J. T. McIver, registrar, 70 in all have been registered; 32 since last Saturday. Negroes registered since last Saturday were Wm. Johnson, Wesley Lane, Wm. Grady, Alfred M. Bennett and Simon A. Richardson. In the third precinct, W. A. Wright, registrar, 50 in all have registered; 18 since last Saturday, two of whom, Wm. David Teachey and Rev. W. M. DeVane are negroes.

In the Second ward, A. J. Hill, registrar, 274 in all have registered; 55 since last Saturday, one of whom, John Norwood is colored.

In the Third ward, W. L. Jacobs, registrar, 240 in all have registered; 126 since last Saturday, none of whom are colored.

In the Fourth ward, Thos. G. Pickett, registrar, over 350 have registered, none of whom are colored.

In the Fifth ward, (first division,) H. B. Shepard, registrar, 218 have registered, only one of whom is colored. In the second division, W. D. Rhodes, registrar, 165 in all have registered; 20 since last Saturday, none of whom are negroes.

Democrats of Wilmington should not forget that Hon. R. B. Glenn, that peerless orator of North Carolina, will speak here Tuesday night. The Tournament Executive Committee has kindly placed the grand stand on Market street at the disposal of the public on this occasion and the speaking will take place at the corner of Seventh and Market streets. The ladies especially are invited to hear the distinguished speaker, and seats will be provided for all. Hon. B. R. Lacy, candidate for State Treasurer, will speak in Wilmington on the 27th inst., but arrangements will be made later.

The Columbus *News* of this week announces that Col. A. M. Waddell, Hon. J. A. Brown and D. C. Allen, Esq., will address the citizens of Whiteville next Tuesday night, the 17th inst. On Friday the annual tournament will take place at Whiteville and on Saturday, the 21st, there will be a grand Democratic rally upon the occasion of the speaking of Hon. C. B. Aycock there. The Second Regiment Band, of Wilmington, will probably participate and there will also be a parade of red shirts, a number of whom will come over from South Carolina.

At Lumberton next Thursday, Hons. C. B. Aycock and R. B. Glenn will speak and Sheriff Geo. B. McLeod is arranging for one of the biggest demonstrations of the campaign. Sheriff McLeod spent a part of this week in Wilmington making preparations for the event. There will be low rates on all railroads and a barbecue for 5,000 people. Col. N. A. McLean has been selected as Chief Marshal and one of the advertised attractions is the "Rapid Fire Gatling Gun Ordered for and Used to Suppress the Riot in Wilmington." Two thousand mounted red shirts is another of the drawing cards arranged for.

Hardly a day comes in Wilmington now without some wild rumor of racial troubles in eastern counties. Yesterday the rumor was that Burgaw was involved in a trouble with the negroes but while the white men of Pender are determined, R. G. Grady, Esq., who arrived in the city last evening tells the STAR that there was no outbreak during the day. There is, however, good demand for red shirt material.

LAURINBURG POPULISTS.

The Belated Convention Pulled Off and Part of Ticket Named.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

LAURINBURG, N. C., July 14.—Eight or nine Populists caucussed here by appointment to-day and pulled off the belated convention which Mr. Seawell did not attend last Saturday, after a harmonious meeting in a back alley. The convention brought out a partial ticket with the chairman thereof at the head of it, and the said chairman immediately reported at local Republican headquarters for further orders.

Do you want 2,000 or 3,000 old newspapers at your own price? If so, call at the STAR office. They make a cheap wrapping paper. †

Big Sale of Neckwear.

The largest and prettiest line of Ties ever brought to Wilmington have just been shipped to us by our New York buyer.

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COMPANIONS—The regular Convocation will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

jy 15 1t W. A. MARTIN, Secretary.

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AT WARREN'S
Steam Bakery and Cafe,
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SPRING HINTS.

Fine Fat Mackerel—White No. 1.
Illinois Butter for cooking, 15c lb.
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DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
6.30 A. M.	7.45 A. M.
10.10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.
7.15 P. M.	10.00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View
10.10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	6.00 P. M.
7.15 P. M.	9.00 P. M.

Every Friday and Saturday on account of Club House dances the last train will leave the Beach at 11 P. M. instead of 10.00.

Freight will be carried only on the 10.10 A. M. and 2 P. M. trains except fresh meats, ice and vegetables, which will be taken on the 6.30 train. No goods will be received unless accompanied by way bills and FREIGHT PREPAID. Freight must be received at our depot 15 minutes before leaving time of train. No exceptions will be made to these rules.

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WALKER TAYLOR,
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Let me have your Sunday order.

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MOON'S PHASES.

First Quarter	4	7:13 p. m.	Third Quarter	19	0:31 a. m.
Full Moon	12	8:22 a. m.	New Moon	26	8:43 a. m.

The Morning Star

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 15, 1900.

For President:
WILLIAM J. BRYAN, of Nebraska.
For Vice-President:
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For White Supremacy.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor:
CHARLES B. AYCOCK, of Wayne.
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Superintendent Public Instruction:
THOMAS F. TOON of Robeson.
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SAMUEL L. PATTERSON, of Caldwell.
For Judge of the Tenth District:
W. B. COUNCILL of Watanga.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For Senator, 10th District:
GEORGE L. MORTON.
House of Representatives:
GEORGE ROUNTREE,
MARTIN S. WILLARD.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

For Sheriff:
FRANK H. STEDMAN.
Register of Deeds:
WM. H. BIDDLE.
Treasurer:
H. McL. GREEN.
Coroner:
WM. F. STOKES.
Surveyor:
JOSEPH H. McREE.
Constable—Wilmington Township:
WILLIAM SHEEHAN, SR.

THE BULLDOZERS RAMPANT.

In their desperation the anti-Amendment leaders have resorted to the game of intimidation of registrars through the law and with shot guns and bludgeons. Where it is not safe to resort to the shot gun and the bludgeon they resort to what the call the law and use the U. S. marshal and the U. S. commissioner. They did this in Winston, where they had Registrar Thompson arrested for refusing to register a negro. He was arrested on the complaint of the negro and that was the only testimony against him, with the exception of another negro or two who happened to be present. When the registrar gave his testimony he swore that he had not refused absolutely to register the negro, but not being statisfied with the statements of the negro asked him to procure some better proof than his own unsupported statement and then he would register him, and stated that he had done the same with white applicants when he had doubts as to their qualifications to register. And yet on the strength of the negro's testimony the U. S. commissioner, a Radical partisan, bound him over to the Federal court. These high-handed efforts to bulldoze by the courts, are made under cover of alleged law.

Not satisfied with that some of the anti-amendment stumpers have been urging the white men and negroes who are weak enough to be influenced by them to ignore the law, and practically take possession of the registration books themselves and when the registrars refuse to enter their names to compel them by force to do it. We have heretofore published facts showing how ready the negroes are to follow their advice where they have the numbers to encourage aggressiveness. Here are some additional facts sent out by wire to the Raleigh *News and Observer*:

"WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., July 12.—On Saturday, the 7th inst., when the registrar for Eldorado township, Montgomery county, opened his books at Ophir, the polling place, six men, three white and three black, presented themselves, armed with rifles and shot guns for registration. These men covered the registrar with their guns and forced him to enter their names on his book without having the proper questions asked them, and without any chance to know whether they were qualified electors or not. They had not previously presented themselves for registration nor had they at any time been refused registration.

"Warrants were immediately sworn out for their arrests, but up to yesterday they had not been apprehended.

At Mt. Gilead, N. C., a negro man went to the residence of Mr. Jesse Haywood, the registrar for Mt. Gilead precinct, called Mr. Haywood's wife to the door and told her that he desired to leave a message for her husband. The message was as follows:

"Tell Mr. Haywood that we have already sent two Democratic registrars to the penitentiary for refusing to register negroes; that a crowd of us are coming to be registered next Saturday and that if he refuses us we will send him to a worse place than the penitentiary."

The above information is given by a citizen of Montgomery county, now in the city."

"WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., July 12.—Jas. E. Steed, of Montgomery county, was in Winston to day and said that a day or two ago three negroes and three white men entered the office of registration in that county and, holding pistols at his head, forced him with threats of killing to register them. Of course they were registered, but immediately upon their disappearance their names were erased from the books. Officers have been in search of these negroes and white men, but up to the time of Mr. Steed leaving here the officers had been unable to capture them.

"Mr. Steed is well known in Raleigh. He was a clerk here in the revenue office several years ago, and was regarded as a man of high character, fearless and faithful to his duties."

Montgomery county is sparsely populated and it would be a very easy matter, if it were so planned, and the registrar were a man who could be intimidated, to overawe him and do it without danger of serious opposition. This fact encourages misguided white men and negroes to resort to these methods.

Here is a specimen of another method resorted to in Cumberland county, which is not so thinly populated as Montgomery county. This was intimidating by letter, where the bulldozer or bulldozers were too cowardly to appear in person:

"FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., July 12.—The following is a copy of a letter received by Mr. W. M. Pope, registrar of election in Black River township:

"'*Mr. Pope, Godwin, N. C.:*

"'Considering you as a registrar in this coming election the Government Department has been informed that up to the present time you haven't registered a single man in Black River township, in which township you are the registrar according to law. Being you haven't sworn even a single man you will please consider this false registration is controlled by the Federal laws, and they are very severe, more so than the laws of the W. & W. R. R. Co. Your ways of registration will be visited and looked into by a U. S. Commissioned man, and if he gets the evidence that you have registered these men unlawful you may look out. Read section 5805 of the U. S. and you will see the verdict. This report will be investigated at once, and you will have trouble on your hands. So now be honest and register these men according to law. A word to the wise is sufficent and a foolish man can see the error of there way when it is too late."

The above is a verbatim copy, and is unsigned. It is supposed to have been instigated by a Sampson county anti white politician.

"Mr. Pope is one of the best and most intelligent citizens of the township, and is proceeding to do his duty as directed by law. This contemptible attempt to bulldoze and scare an honest man will have no effect. Of course the charges are not true. Mr. Pope will not register 18-year-old negroes or ex-convicts, but will register every man who is entitled to register. At one precinct an 18-year-old negro presented himself to register. The registrar knew that last year when he was summoned to work the roads he escaped upon the plea that he was not liable, as he was not 18 years old. Of course he did not register. The Fusion forces are making all kinds of threats and one man is reported to have said they were organizing a band of 150 armed men to intimidate the people."

Here is another sample from Salisbury, as related by the *Truth-Index.*

"A negro, a new-comer from South Carolina, applied last week to Register T. A. Vanderford and swore to his being a resident of this particular ward. He was registered though a stranger. It was learned that he did not belong to that ward at all.

Then on the advice of some one he attempted to get a transfer. Mr. Vanderford refused to give the perjurer a certificate whereupon Capt. John A. Ramsey threatened Mr. Vanderford with prosecution for violation of the 15th amendment to the constitution. The imported rabble of negroes became boisterous and threatened that they would vote if they had to wade through blood to the polls. It is said, to their credit, however, that the native negroes did not join in the misconduct."

We have had negroes from South Carolina trying to register in Charlotte, and at other points, and showing a disposition to be ugly when they are numerous and think they have the backing of white men, who they believe are acting upon the authority of the United States. How long they will be permitted to play this bulldozing game and spit upon the law by virtue of which the registrars are performing the duties of their office depends upon how much patience the Democrats may have, and they will have a gool deal if this insolent and outrageous conduct doesn't bring some of the perpetrators to grief and teach the others a lesson. The ignorant men who resort to these methods are not half as guilty as the better informed white scoundrels who urge them on and tell them that it is not only the right but the highly commendable thing to do.

Every instance of this kind is an additional argument for the amendment, which will take the ignorant, easily lead negro out of politics.

The Spanish consul at Chicago says Spain will now save $100,000,000 a year, which she was compelled to spend to keep the boisterous spirits in Cuba and the Philippines down. And she is $20,000,000 better off by trading the Philippines off after they had slipped her grip.

A DISTINCTION WITH A DIFFERENCE

Some of the opponents of the Amendment having spread a report that the letter from Professor Alexander M. McIver, published a short while ago, giving his reasons for supporting it was not written by him, he has written another letter which stamps out the falsehood. It appears in the Chatham *Record* of last Thursday, as follows:

"CUMNOCK, N. C, July 2, 1900.

"*Chatham Record*:—I have been asked: How do you know that the proposed Constitutional Amendment does not violate the XV Amendment when Senator Pritchard and others say that it does? I beg to answer:

"First. President McKinley, whose duty it is to enforce the constitution, has not said that it violates the constitution. When the people of South Carolina threatened to prevent the collection of import duties in the port of Charleston in 1832 President Jackson took notice of it and declared that he would enforce the law and collect the duties if he had to send a regiment of soldiers to enforce the collection. The people have always honored Andrew Jackson for this. President McKinley would not hesitate to do the same thing if the occasion required it.

"Second. Congress, whose duty it is to see that a republican government shall be maintained in all the States, has said nothing against the proposed Amendment.

"Third. The distinction between the right to vote and the right to be voted should be recognized. No self respecting man wants the right to be voted. Others want it for him so they can vote him. To vote means to write a name or word on a ballot and put it in the ballot box. If a man cannot do this he cannot vote. He must be able to read and write. The Amendment prescribes this qualification. It is the same qualification which the United States itself prescribes in Cuba, Porto Rico and other territories. Surely no sane man in North Carolina would censure his own State for interpreting the XV Amendment as the United States interprets it. Adopt the Amendment. It is intended to purify the ballot box; to elevate citizenship; to cut off those who cannot vote, but are voted. This is an important crisis in our history. Every man will be expected to do his duty.

"Very respectfully,
"ALEXANDER M. MCIVER."

Senator Pritchard, a few days after Congress met, introduced a resolution in the Senate, declaring it to be the sense of the Senate of the United States that the proposed amendment is unconstitutional. That was a jackass resolution, and the Senate so regarded it, for it went into a pigeon-hole of the committee to which it was referred, where it remained throughout the session, and where it now remains, if it hasn't been consigned to the rubbish heap. Pritchard got a chance to make a speech on it, and that's all the progress he made with it.

If the Republican Senators believed it unconstitutional, and that they had any business to say so, they would have jumped at the chance to pass Pritchard's resolution because it would have been a good political card to play with the negroes in the Northern States, where some of them are getting restive and growing cold on the Republican party.

If the anti-Amendment leaders in this State, such as Pritchard and Butler, believe it unconstitutional, instead of fighting it they would let it go through, save all their hard work, hard lying and profuse perspiration, and then knock it out in the courts.

In the last paragraph of his letter Prof. McIver draws a very pertinent distinction,—a distinction with a difference,—when he says "the distinction between the right to vote and the right to be voted should be recognized." When simmered down this is the essence of the whole question. The objection is not to the man who votes, but the man who "is voted." He is to the man who does the mischief, whom it is necessary to eliminate before we can have honest elections that will reflect the sentiments of the people.

FOR WHITE SUPREMACY.

At the rate at which the Populists are turning their backs on Boss Butler and declaring for White Supremacy and the Constitutional Amendment the boss will not have many of them with him on election day to carry into the Radical camp. The latest (but not the last) to repudiate Butler and declare for a white man's government is P. W. Patton, of Burke county, clerk of the Superior Court and for six years chairman of the Populist county convention, who thus announces his resolve to support the Amendment and the Democratic State ticket:

"To the Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee: I have been a Populist ever since there was a Populist party in North Carolina; for six years I have been chairman of the executive committee of said party in Burke county. Not since the civil war have the people of North Carolina had a more important issue to settle than there is now before them, to wit: White Supremacy. I am a white man, and therefore not only believe in, but must support the constitutional amendment. The leaders of the Populist party have not only arrayed themselves against said amendment, but are trying to force the rank and file of the party to follow them. Therefore, I intend to support the amendment, and since the Democratic party is the only party advocating it, consistency compels me to support the Democratic ticket.

"(Signed) P. W. PATTON,
"Chairman Pop. Party of Burke Co.
"July 11th."

Mr. Patton's standing with the Populists of that county is so high and his influence so strong that it is said he will carry with him at least one-half the Populists who have not already come over. He recognizes the fact that to be consistent in voting for the amendment he must also vote for friends of the amendment and not for men opposed to it, hence he will do the logical thing and support the Democratic State ticket.

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THE HEART OF THE TREE.

What does he plant who plants the tree?
He plants a friend of sun and sky;
He plants the flag of breezes free,
The shaft of beauty towering high;
He plants a home to heaven a nigh
For song and mother croon of bird,
In hushed and happy twilight heard,
The treble of heaven's harmony—
These things he plants who plants a tree.

What does he plant who plants a tree?
He plants cool shade and tender rain,
And seed and buds of days to be,
And years that fade and flush again;
He plants the glory of the plain;
He plants the forest's heritage,
The harvest of the coming age,
The joy that unborn eyes shall see—
These things he plants who plants a tree.

What does he plant who plants a tree?
He plants in sap and leaf and wood,
In love of home and loyalty,
And far cast thought of civil good,
His blessing on the neighborhood,
Who, in the hollow of his hand,
Holds all the growth of all our land—
A nation's growth from sea to sea,
Stirs in his heart who plants a tree.
—*The Century.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Mount Olive *Advertiser*: All crops in this section are reported to be in superb condition.

— Sanford *Express*: Crops in this section are looking well now, but should the dry weather last much longer they will soon begin to suffer.

— Kinston *Free Press*: The State has chartered the LaGrange manufacturing Co., of LaGrange, with power to manufacture cotton goods, ice, build and operate water, ice and electric light plants, authorized capital $50,000. The Collins Gin Co., of Maysville, Jones county, has also been chartered, with power to manufacture cotton goods, authorized capital $10,000.

— Monroe *Enquirer*: As an offset to our story last week about the turkey gobler driving a guinea hen from her nest and hatching the eggs himself, a gentleman tells us that in upper Anson county a partridge nest was taken to a house and put on the fireboard as a curiosity. In a few days the eggs began to hatch and a fine brood of partridges were seon taken off and were running over the floor. This is no yarn, but is a straight fact. —— H. F. Seawell, Populist nominee for attorney general, spoke to a crowd in the court house here last Monday composed of sixty-three white men and fifty-seven negroes. Fully one-third of the white men were Democrats. The speech lacked snap and vigor and Seawell made the impression that he was making a hopeless fight. The cheering, what little there was, came almost entirely from the negroes. The most of the speech was against the amendment.

— Wadesboro *Messenger-Intelligencer*: Crops in Anson county are the poorest for many years. Unless seasons are very propitious from now on, there will not be more than a half a crop of cotton made. —— Early Wednesday morning the residence of Mr. J. T. Little, who lives in Gulledge township, was entered and robbed of $105. The thief is said to be Tas Little, a negro about 16 years old who lived in the neighborhood. Sheriff Graddy is after young Little this morning, but had not captured him up to the hour of going to press. —— Late last Thursday afternoon Mr. R. T. Gaitley, of Mangum, Richmond county, was shot and dangerously wounded by a negro man in his employ. The negro's name is Ed Ingram, and he is said to be a desperate character. At first it was thought Mr. Gaitley was mortally wounded, as he was shot in the abdomen. Fortunately, however, the ball struck a rib and glanced, not penetrating the intestines. The fact of the shooting, as we learn them, are as follows: Mr. Gaitley told the negro to feed a mule and the negro told him he would not do it. Then Mr. Gaitley started toward the negro, who ran. During the pursuit another negro handed the fleeing negro a hat in which was concealed a pistol. The negro on getting the pistol turned and fired on Mr. Gaitley with the result above noted.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c. and and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles 10c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. Thomas' Church: First mass 7 A. M.; last mass 9 A. M. No evening service.

The Seamen's Bethel service will be conducted by Rev. M. A. Barber, rector of St. Paul's, at 3 P. M. Sailors and friends cordially invited.

First Baptist Church, Rev. C. S. Blackwell, D. D., pastor; 11 A. M. "A Beautiful Life;" 8.15 P. M., "The Hero Fire Fighters of the World."

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A. G. Voigt pastor: English services to-day at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Sunday school at 10 A. M.

Grace Church: Preaching in the morning at 11 o'clock by the pastor; at 8:15 P. M. preaching by Rev. Dr. Whisner, Secretary of the Church Extension Roard of the M. E. Church South.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Fifth Sunday after Trinity: Holy communion 7.30 A. M.; Morning prayer and sermon, 11 A. M.; evening prayer, 6 P. M.; Sunday School, 9.45 A. M. Public cordially invited to all services.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, North Fourth street, above Bladen: Supplied by Mr. C. W. Kegley. Morning service only, at 11 o'clock; Sunday School at 9.45 A. M. All seats free and every person welcome.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— God has not cast the world adrift; it has wandered away.

— Men need a Bible conscience more than a Bible commentary.

— A lie feels easy only when it forgets that it has a truth on its track.

— Many consult God about their safety who would never consult him about their duty.

— Fine sense and exalted sense are not half so useful as common sense.—*Horace Greeley.*

— We owe it to our fellow-men to lead a high life. The world needs our good example and God requires it.

— The more of what is termed world wisdom man has, the less heavenly wisdom he possesses.

— Our light for the world is a reflected light—we shine best when we are looking at the Sun of Righteousness.

— Our Mission in Life.—We are here to solve the problems of life, not to evade them; we are here to fulfill our task, not to leave it unfinished. We must make the soul victorious over the senses, and we do that not by evading pain, but by conquering it.—*Dr. Felix Adler.*

— I find the great thing in this world is not so much where we stand as in what direction we are moving; to reach the port of heaven we must sail sometimes with the wind and sometimes against it, but we must sail and not drift, nor be at an anchor. *Oliver Wendell Holmes.*

— It is not with a rush and a spring that we are to reach Christ's character, and attain to perfect saintship; but step by step, foot, hand over hand, we are slowly and often painful to mount the ladder that rests on earth, and rises to heaven.—*Thomas Guthrie.*

TWINKLINGS.

— Dr. Jalap—"Let me see your tongue, please." Patient—"Oh, doctor, no tongue can tell how badly I feel."—*Tit-Bits.*

— The President of Smith College told the students that he was opposed to yells for college girls." "But what are they going to do if they see a man under the bed."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— Beauties of Our Language: He—"Who is that pretty woman talking to the captain?" She—"Oh, that's one of the lieutenant's wives." He—"Indeed! How many wives has the lieutenant?"

— A Considerate Offer — Employer—"I think I'll have to let you go; there isn't much to do around here, but you don't even seem able to do that." Office Boy—"Well, suppose you pay me half wages, and I'll stay home until you really need me."—*Chicago Record.*

— Trained: "I might as well tell ye before we go any fu'ther," said the witness, who had been getting rather the better of the lawyer, "that ye needn't expect to rattle me by askin' fool questions." "No?" retorted the lawyer "Naw. I've raised three boys, an' got two grandsons that's keeping me trained all the time."—*Indianapolis Press.*

— Among the many stories told lately in connection with the late Duke of Argyil the following seems to have escaped repetition: A distinguished officer on the army called on the duke at Inverary Castle, and was told by the servant that he was not at home. "Where is he?" asked the officer. "He's awa'—awa'," was Donald's hesitating reply—"awa' washing himself." The duke was at a seaside watering place.—*London Globe.*

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— "If it be true," says the Providence *Journal*, "that New Englanders have deteriorated physically, the primal cause in pie." Conversely, then, if it be true that they have improved physically, the primal cause is Pie. It will not require much investigation to show that the New Englanders of the last quarter of the century are better physically than were the New Englanders of the first quarter: Please pass the Pie.—*Louisville Courier Journal, Dem.*

—— Thomas B. Reed, it is noted, was not invited to make a Fourth of July speech this year. The Albany *Argus* explans that "it was evidently feared that he would allude to the Declaration of Independence." Possibly, also, it was feared that he would make one of his own. Mr. Reed is under suspicion, strangely enough, of not being thoroughly loyal to the Administration and his party.—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

Story of a Slave.

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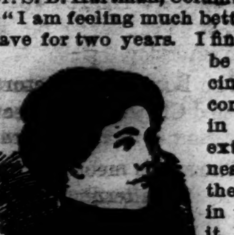
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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, July 14.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm at 43½ cents per gallon for machine made casks and 42¾ cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1.20 per barrel for strained and $1.25 for good strained.

TAR—Market steady at $1.40 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.60 per barrel for hard, $2.60 for dip, and —— for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady at 90@95c; tar firm at $1.40; crude turpentine firm at $1.35, 2.00@2.10.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	96
Rosin	164
Tar	10
Crude turpentine	136

Receipts same day last year.—194 casks spirits turpentine, 484 bbls. rosin, 135 bbls tar, 36 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Nothing doing.

Same day last year middling steady at 5⅝c.

Receipts—00 bales; same day last year, 00.

COUNTRY PRODUCE

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime, 70c. Extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 77½@80c. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c.

CORN—Firm; 53 to 60 cents per bushel for white.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tidewater) 85c; upland 50@60c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 11 to 12c per pound; shoulders, 8 to 8½c; sides, 10c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five-inch hearts and saps, $2.25 to 3.25; six-inch, $4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3. 50to $10.00 per M.

LOCAL SECURITIES.

Quotations on local securities, furnished and regularly corrected by Hugh MacRae & Co.:

STOCKS.

	BID.	ASKED.
A. C. L. of Conn., 5 per ct. Certs	110¼	111
A. C. L. of Conn., stock	215	120
A. C. L. Common	61	62½
A. C. L. preferred	102	103½
W. & W. 7 per ct Certs	143	147
N. C. R. R.	161¾	162
Wilmington Compress Co.	...	...
Delgado Mills	102	104
Wilmington Cotton Mills, pfd	110	115
Wilmington Gas Light Co	70	75
Carolina Insurance Co	105	107
Underwriters' Insurance Co	106	107
National Bank of Wilmington	120	...
Atlantic National Bank	201	...
Murchison National Bank	110	114
Guardian Security Co	191	...
Wil. Savings & Trust Co	230	...
Blue Ridge National Bank	112	116
Warren Manufac'ing Co., preferred	100½	101½
Abbeville Cotton Mills	100	101½
Southern Cotton Mills	95	98
Piedmont Manufacturing Co	...	198
Pacolet Manufacturing Co	260	290
F. W. Poe Manufacturing Co (old)	117½	119
Anderson Cotton Mills	122	126
Pelzer Manufacturing Co	187½	191
Gaffney Manufacturing Co	124	126
Grendel Cotton Mills	101	103
Clifton Manufacturing Co	188	194
Orr Manufacturing Co	104	105½
McColl Manufacturing Co	125	130
Darlington Manufacturing Co	97	99½
Bennettsville Manufacturing Co	115	117

BONDS.

	BID.	ASKED.
N. C. 4's	105½	106
N. C. 6's	135	136½
City Wilm. 5's, gold, 1922	110	112
City Wilm. 5's, 1919	100	...
City Wilm. 6's	108	...
Masonic Temple 1st 6's	105	...
Masonic Temple 2d 6's	...	100½
Wilmington Compress Co.'s 5's	85	...
A. C. L. 4's, certs	97	99
Wilmington & Weldon 5's	115½	117
Wilmington & Newbern 4's	101	102
N. H. County 5's, gold	100	103
Wilmington, gold 4's	99	101

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Money on call quoted nominal. Prime mercantile paper 3¾@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486¾@486⅞ for demand and — for sixty days. Posted rates 485 and 487½@488. Commercial bills 483¼@483¾. Silver certificates 61¾@62¾. Bar silver 61⅜. Mexican dollars 48¼. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. refunding 2's reg'd, 103¼; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 103¼; U. S. 2's, reg'd, 100; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108¾; do. coupon, 109¼; U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 134; do. coupon, 134; U. S. old 4's, reg'd, 114½; do coupon, 114½; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 113½; do. coupon, 113½; Southern Railway 5's 108½. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 74¼; Chesapeake & Ohio 27⅜; Manhattan L 87⅝; N. Y. Central 129¾; Reading 17; do. 1st pref'd 59; St. Paul 110⅝; do. pref'd 171; Southern Railway 10⅜; do. pref'd 51¼; American Tobacco, 92; do. pref'd 125; People's Gas 98⅜; Sugar 117⅝; do. pref'd 116½; T. C. & Iron 65⅞; U. S. Leather 8¾; do. preferred 67½; Western Union 79¾.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Rosin steady. Strained common to good $1 55. Spirits turpentine steady at 46½@47c.

CHARLESTON, July 14.—Spirits turpentine firm at 45c; sales — casks. Rosin firm; sales — casks. Quotations unchanged.

SAVANNAH, July 14.—Spirits turpentine firm at 44¼c; sales 399 casks; receipts 1,976 casks; exports 3,111 casks. Rosin firm; sales 1,227 barrels; receipts 3,764 barrels; exports 6,244 barrels.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—The cotton market was quiet; middling uplands 10c.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 10c.

Cotton futures market closed steadier; July 9.58, August 9.12, September 8.64, October 8.33, November 8.19, December 8.16, January 8.17, February 8 19, March 8.21, April 8.24, May 8.57.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 10c; middling gulf 10¼c; sales — bales.

Net receipts — bales; gross receipts 347 bales; stock 41,891.

Total to-day—Net receipts 2,680 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,549; exports to the Continent 1,250 bales; stock 155,685 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 2,680 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,549 bales; exports to the Continent 1,250 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 6,409,731 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,214,591 bales; exports to France 693,029 bales; exports to the Continent 2,652,112 bales.

July 14.—Galveston, steady at 9⅝c, net receipts 11 bales; Norfolk, quiet at 10 1-16c, net receipts 178 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 10½, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 10¼, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, nothing doing, net receipts—bales; Philadelphia, dull at 10¼c, net receipts 1 bale; Savannah, quiet and steady at 9⅞c, net receipts 539 bales; New Orleans, easy at 10 3-16, net receipts 1,214 bales; Mobile, nominal at 9¾, net receipts — bales; Memphis, steady at 9⅞, net receipts 10 bales; Augusta, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 11 bales; Charleston, quiet at 9⅝, net receipts 737 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 14.—Flour weak and lower to sell. Closed entirely nominal. Winter patents $4 00@4 60; Minnesota patents $4 50@4 90. Wheat—Spot weak; No. 2 red 85⅜c. Options opened weak and were further depressed during the forenoon by active liquidation, lower cables, enlarged spring wheat crop estimates and fur ther Northwest showers. Closed weak at 1c net decline; July closed 83⅝c; September closed 82⅝c; October closed 82⅞c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 51¼c. Options opened firm on less favorable reports from Kansas than expected but eased off sharply with wheat. Later the market was dull and easy with considerable realizing. Closed steady at ¼@⅝c net advance. July closed 49⅜c; September closed 49½c; December closed 46¼c. Oats—Spot quiet; No. 2 29c: options inactive and easier. Pork firm; family $14 50@15 50; short clear $13 25@15 25; mess $13 25@14 00. Tallow dull. Lard steady; Western steam $7 22½; July closed $7 22½, nominal; refined firm; continent $7 50; South American $8 00; compound 8¼@8⅜c. Butter steady; creamery 16½@19c; State dairy 15½@18¼. Freights to Liverpool dull; cotton by steam 25d. Potatoes quiet; Chili $1 00@1 12½; Southern $1 00@1 25. Chese firm; large white and colored 9¼@9⅜c; small white and colored 9¼@9½c. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania 14@17c at mark. Cabbage quiet; Long Island, per 100, $1 00@1 50. Petroleum quoted steady; refined New York $7 85; Philadelphia and Baltimore $7 80; do in bulk $5 25. Rice steady; domestic, fair to extra, 4½@6½c; Japan 4¾@4⅞c. Cotton seed oil—Market firm at unchanged prices. Quotations: Prime crude, in barrels, 34c, nominal; prime summer yellow 37@37½c; butter grades nominal; off summer yellow 36½c; prime winter yellow 40@41c; prime white 40c; prime meal $25 00. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 9¼c; mild steady; Cordova 9¼@13¼. Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining 4 5-16c; centrifugal 96 test 4 13 16c; molasses sugar 4 1-16c; refined sugar firm; standard A $5 80; confectioners' A $5 80; mould A $6 25; cut loaf and crushed $6 40; powdered $6 10; granulated $6 00; cubes $6 15.

CHICAGO, July 14.—Wheat was weak from start to finish to-day and closed at a decline of 1⅛@1⅜c. This makes over four cents decline in three days. The marked improvement in the crop Northwest kept prices on the down grade. Corn was strong on the continued Southwest drouth and closed ⅛c higher. Oats advanced ⅛c and provisions declined 5@7½c.

CHICAGO, July 14.—Cash quotations: Flour quiet; winter patents $4 10@4 20. Wheat—No. 2 spring —; No. 3 spring 73@75c; No. 2 red 79@79½c. Corn—No. 2, 44¼c. Oats—No. 2 —c; No. 2 white 27@27½c; No. 3 white 26@27½c. Pork, per barrel, $12 45@12 50. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 82½@6 85 Short rib sides, loose, $6 85@7 15. Dry salted shoulders, $6 75@7 00. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 50@7 60. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 23

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July 78, 78, 76⅝, 76⅝c; August 78⅛@78¼, 78@78¼, 76⅞, 77c; September 79@79¼, 79¼, 57¾@77⅞, 77⅞c. Corn—No. 2 July 44½, 44½, 43¾, 43⅝c; August 44¼@44½, 44¾, 43¾@43⅞, 44c; September 44⅝@44¾, 44¾@44⅞, 44½, 44⅜c. Oats—July 24¼, 24⅛, 23⅞, 23⅞c; August 24¼@24¾, 24⅛, 24⅛, 24⅛@24¼; September 24¼@24⅝, 24⅜@24¼, 24⅜@24¼, 24⅛. Pork, per bbl—July $12 45, 12 45, 12 40, 12 40; September $12 60, 12 60, 12 52½, 12 55. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $6 80, 6 80, 6 80, 6 80; September $6 92½, 6 92½, 6 87½, 6 90. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $6 85, 6 90, 6 85, 6 87½; September $6 97½, 6 97½, 6 95, 6 95.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 14, 4 P. M.—Cotton—Spot, small business; prices lower; good middling 6 1-32d; middling 5 27-32d; low middling 5 23-32d; good ordinary 5 19-32d; ordinary 5 13-32d. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 2,600 American. Receipts 1,200 bales, all American.

Futures opened easy and closed unsettled. American middling (l. m. c.) July 5 40-64@5 41-64d seller; July and August 5 33-64@5 34 64d value; August and September 5 14-64@5 15 64d seller; September and October 4 59-64 4 60 64d buyer; October and November 4 46-64@4 47-64d seller; November and December 4 40 64d seller; December and January 4 37-64d buyer; January and February 4 34@4 35 64d seller; April and May 4 31-64d seller; May and June 4 30 64d buyer.

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C C Lister, 267 tons, Robinson, New York, George Harriss, Son & Co.

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C. C. Railroad—6 casks spirits turpentine, 2 barrels tar, 17 barrels crude turpentine.

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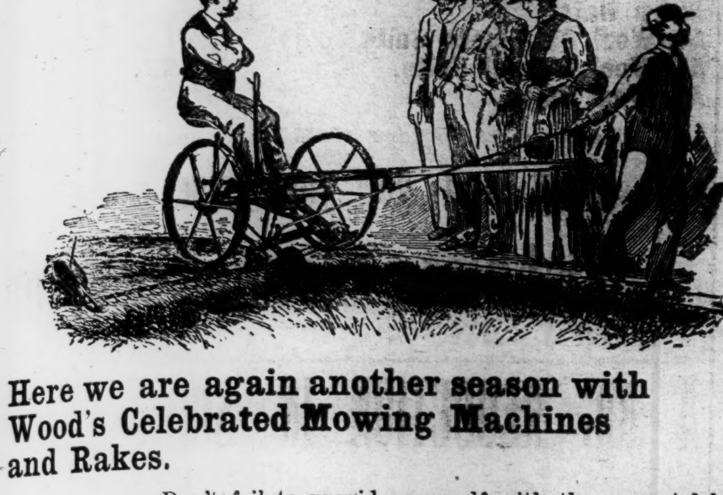
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Atlantic National Bank,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

At the Close of Business June 29th, 1900, Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

RESOURCES.

Loans		$ 771,179.73
Overdrafts		282.50
U. S. Bonds (at par)		216,100.00
Banking House and Fixtures		10,000.00
Due from app'd res've agt's	$127,965.57	
Due from other banks	174,879.74	
Cash on hand	87,593.69	—390,439.00
Total		$1,388,001.23

LIABILITIES.

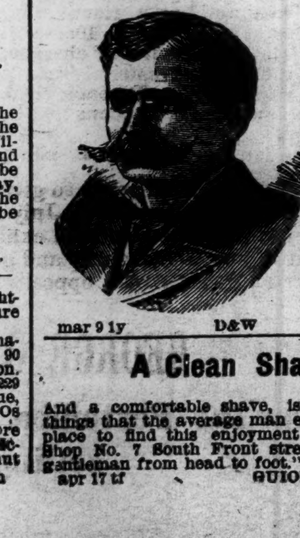
Capital		$ 125,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits		107,963.78
Circulation		65,600.00
Deposits U. S. Treas.	$130,875.00	
Deposits from Banks	114,034.77	
Deposits from individuals	814,527.68	—1,089,437.45
Total		$1,388,001.23

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	June 29 '98.	June 29, '99.	June 29, 1900
Total deposits	$560,500	$847,700	$1,089,400
Surplus and net profits	79,700	92,700	107,900
U. S. bonds at par	40,100	95,600	216 100

Dividends Paid—6 Per Cent. Per Annum.

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Take counsel, heart! A thousand thorny ways
Cry unto you for respite. The white rose
Of love may wither in the wintry days,
Bitter thought—God knows.

A thousand duties make their meek demands,
Fearing to cry too loud to you. Oh, sweet,
Pale, famished lips have kisses for your hands—
Hearts at your touch will beat!

If God be God, then is your life task plain
As the sure stars faith finds in heavens above.
'Tis yours upon the beggar's brow to rain
The riches of God's love.

And, if no God be o'er us, still is earth
A field where red thorns in the roses gleam.
So may you tend it, dear, to make it worth
The heaven of your dream.

And I? It will not matter if I go
With empty hands unto my rest, unshriven.
Thankful at last that I have loved you so,
I shared that love with heaven!

—Frank L. Stanton.

An Indian's Hate.

He Tried to Vent It on the Whites, but It Recoiled on Himself.

By George H. Westley.

Jed Wilson and I were neither of us much over 20 when, in the reckless spirit of adventure, we joined a company of threescore hardy fellows who were on the point of starting off up the Umpqua river.

After many days of the most difficult travel we came at length in sight of an Indian village, and, approaching this village to within a quarter of a mile, we pitched our permanent camp.

We had not been there many minutes before our redskin neighbors became aware of our presence, and immediately they swarmed down upon us, displaying the most hostile intentions. The sight of our weapons cowed them, and they saw it would be best to leave us alone.

The chief of the tribe was one Wah-kia-na, a tall, muscular Indian of perhaps 45. As the days went by Wah-kia-na became quite a frequent visitor. His favorite lounging place was the log cabin in which Jed and I did the cooking.

One morning Jed discovered Wah-kia-na in the act of jabbing a long, sharp pointed piece of iron he invariably carried in his belt into the soup kettle, hoping, no doubt, to fish out a nice hot chunk of beef. This was more than my companion could stand.

Knocking the iron out of the redskin's hand with a quick blow, Jed grabbed the fellow by the scruff and the slack and rushed him out of the cabin, quitting him with a push that sent him sprawling upon the ground.

After that Wah-kia-na came to the cookhouse no more, and in a month or so the incident had dropped completely from our minds. But not from the Indian's. In his heart he nurtured vengeance.

One day we learned that there emptied into the Umpqua a certain stream, the exploration of which promised considerable sport. This tributary was known as Smith's river, after an unfortunate trapper who had been killed by the Indians many years before.

When we had arranged our plans, we made them known to Wattie Linn, a sturdy old backwoodsman who had taken quite a fancy to us youngsters and had more than once proved himself a true friend.

"Don't ye go, boys," said Wattie.

"Why not?" asked Jed. "We can manage the canoe all right."

"'Tain't that."

"What is it, then? Are you afraid of the Indians cutting us off?"

"Waal, yes; that's about it," replied Wattie.

Just as we were pushing off along came Wattie.

"So yer bound to go, boys?" he said half reproachfully. "Waal, good luck to ye. But look hyar, I want ye to promise me a something. Guess it'll take ye three days to get up to Smith's, thar bein a freshet in the river, but a day ought to fetch ye back slick as grease. Now, give me yer word, boys, to be back hyar by five days at the latest—that is, if ye kin."

We promised the old fellow and dipped our paddles, impatient to be off.

"Good, lads, and now look hyar. If so be as you meet trouble and hev to quit the canoe and tramp home make tracks down the right bank of the river—the right bank, do you hear?"

Nothing particular happened until the afternoon of the third day. We were ripping along very quietly when suddenly Jed reached over the side of the canoe and fished something out of the water. It proved to be a small, closely woven Indian basket.

"That's bad, Jed," I exclaimed. "Sure as guns ther's redskins ahead of us."

"We'd have met the beggars if they had come down stream; so they must have gone up," said I. "What's to be done, Jed?"

"Done! Go ahead and trust in Providence," replied Jed. "They may be friendly or they may not. Anyhow, we've got our rifles."

"What's that yonder?" cried Jed, pointing to a hill a little distance ahead. Its sloping side was dotted with what looked to be huts. We rested on our paddles and gazed upon the scene with silent anxiety.

We found the cause of our wonder to be an old Indian burying ground. The hutlike risings were simply hillocks of earth, each of which marked the resting place of a warrior.

Paddling a mile or two farther along, we camped for the night.

As soon as it was light enough we started to mount to the top of what we meant to be our long toboggan slide back to Umpqua. It was the worst rapid we had yet encountered. After trying it several ways without success we had to resort to the towing line.

We dragged our little craft up through the boiling current yard by yard. It may have been within a dozen feet of us when crack! the stout hide line suddenly snapped, and away went the canoe with all our stores and Jed's rifle, dashing madly down the falls.

"What fools to worry," cried Jed, "when we can get all the canoes we want!"

"Where?"

"Down in the burial ground, of course. It's only a mile or so. Come along."

Fortunately we were on the same side of the river, and an hour's hard struggling through the dense woods brought us to the cemetery. We found that most of the canoes were in very bad condition, but finally came across one that seemed seaworthy. Our good fortune mended our spirits, and as we sped onward we laughed and joked and broke into rollicking songs.

We had made a mile or so when, shooting round a sharp elbow of the river, we were thunderstruck to find ourselves abreast of a large Indian camp pitched on the bank. The narrowing of the stream at this point brought us within 20 yards of our foes.

Uttering a howl of rage, they made a wild rush for the water's edge, threw themselves into their canoes and came after us in full pursuit. And foremost among them we recognized the tall form of Wah-kia-na.

With a swift wave of our paddles we turned the nose of our antique craft toward the bank, reaching which, we leaped ashore. I seized the gun, and in two seconds we were tearing through the thick brushwood toward the forest beyond.

That afternoon and evening I tramped many miles. At nightfall, being utterly fagged out, I threw myself upon the turf beside a small stream and was soon sound asleep.

I awoke a little after dawn, cold and stiff and desperately hungry. I was about to move along when I was startled to hear a crackling among the brushwood. I set my teeth and brought my rifle to my shoulder, ready to fire as soon as the thing should break cover.

Presently who should stagger into view but Jed, the poor fellow ready to drop with fatigue and hunger. We started off, but soon Jed, who was carrying the gun, while clambering over the rocks made a misstep and fell. The weapon flew from his hand, and, the trigger striking hard against a stump, a loud report followed among the surrounding hills.

But that was not the worst. Jed's ankle received a very bad twist in his fall, and for some minutes the poor agonized with pain.

Now we noticed a column of smoke rising nearly opposite our position from the other bank of the river.

"A signal!" cried Jed. "They must have heard the report. What a clumsy idiot I was!"

"And see," said I, "there's an answering signal to the right and another to the left. But we've got a good start of them, and before they strike our trail we must be miles away."

All that afternoon we toiled onward over our rugged course. Meantime, however, Jed's wounded ankle grew worse, until at sunset it was swollen to twice its natural size, and he could proceed no farther.

Twilight slowly darkened into night. The moon rose and cast her fading light upon the scene. A more welcome light, I think, I shall never behold.

Presently signal fires on the hills near by told us that the rest of our enemies were close at hand. Again I looked to the priming of my gun and otherwise prepared for action.

For fully 20 minutes we heard nothing of our foes, though we knew well the cowardly fellows were debating how best to reach us. Then, from their ambush in the wild oats, we heard voices, as though they were encouraging each other to charge, and we realized that the crisis was at hand.

Suddenly I was startled by an exclamation from Jed.

"It's all up, Joe!" he cried. "No use firing. The villains have got us in the rear."

"Hist, boys, hist!" whispered a voice from the bow of the canoe.

"Good heavens, it's Wattie!"

"Aye, boys, and just in the nick of time. Catch hold of this hyar line and haul us in right smart."

This was done and all so quietly and quickly that the Indians knew nothing of our re-enforcements. A minute later they broke cover, rushed into the open and, with a blood curdling yell, charged pellmell down upon us.

"Fire!" shouted Wattie in a voice that rang loud above the uproar, and instantly five spouts of flame flashed in the faces of our foes.

Surprised, thunderstruck, utterly discomfited, the advancing body reeled back from the volley they had so little expected.

"After 'em, boys!" yelled Wattie, leaping up over the bank and giving chase. We sent them flying in all directions, each Indian intent only on securing his personal safety.

Then, returning to the bank, we sought our two fallen foes. The first we came up to was lying face downward, having pitched forward as a bullet found his heart. Turning him over, we found he was none other than the villainous Wah-kia-na.—Exchange.

He Would Know More.

An exceedingly well dressed woman sat in an elevated railway car the other day, and opposite her was an elderly man. The woman got up to leave the car, and in the corner of the seat where she had been sitting the man spied a piece of black net. Jumping for it, he called out:

"Madam, you have left your veil!"

As she took no notice of him he dashed down the aisle after her, and, touching her on the elbow again, said:

"Madam, you have left your veil," at the same time holding it up in full view of all.

It was a frowsy, frayed, torn piece of black cotton net.

"It is not mine, sir!" she snapped out, giving him a withering look, and the obliging old man shrank back as if he had been jabbed with a hatpin, while the passengers grinned.

"Why was she so mad about it?" he asked in a dazed way as he laid the homely little rag on the window sill.

"I guess you never paid for a woman's finery," said another man.

"That's so," said the withered one in a hopeless tone. "I am a bachelor. Perhaps I'd know more if I'd married."

"You would that," said the other feelingly.—New York Tribune.

Resting the Muscles.

When a man is tired, he stretches his arms and legs and yawns. Birds and animals, so far as possible, follow his example.

Birds spread their feathers and also yawn, or gape. Fowls often do this. Fish yawn; they open their mouths slowly until they are round, the bones of the head seem to loosen, and the gills open.

Dogs are inveterate yawners and stretchers, but seldom sneeze unless they have a cold. Cats are always stretching their bodies, legs and claws, as every one knows who has a cat for a pet.

Horses stretch violently when and after indulging in a roll, but not, as a rule, on all fours.

A stag when stretching sticks out his head, stretches his fore feet out and hollows his back and neck as though trying to creep under a bar.

Most ruminant animals stretch when they rise up after lying down. Deer do it regularly; so do cows. This fact is so well known that if a cow, when arising from lying down, does not stretch herself it is a sign she is ill.

The reason for this is plain—the stretch moves every muscle of the body, and if there be any injury anywhere it hurts.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Measuring a Tree.

Supposing a woodchopper in the Maine forest is told to get out a mast for a yacht. He knows that he must find a tree which is straight for 60 feet below the branches. It would be very troublesome to climb trees and measure them with a tape measure, so he, without knowing it, uses practical trigonometry. He measures off 60 feet in a straight line from the tree, and then he cuts a pole, which, when upright in the ground, is exactly as tall as himself. This he plants in the earth his own length from the end of his 60 feet.

For example, if he is six feet tall, he plants his six foot pole 54 feet from the tree. Then he lies down on his back, with his head at the end of the line and his feet touching the pole, and sights over the top of it. He knows that where his eyes touch the tree is almost exactly 60 feet from the ground.—Weekly Bouquet.

Filial Love.

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Only readers familiar with the northern dialect will fully appreciate the depth of kindly resignation and true feeling which the words denote. The father endured terrible sufferings, but was ultimately picked up. "Greater love hath no man than this."—Westminster Gazette.

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(Began business April 2nd, 1900.)

RESOURCES.		*LIABILITIES.*	
Loans and discounts	$95,005.00	Capital stock paid in	$18,712.50
Furniture and fixtures	100.00	Profits less expenses and taxes	2,122.82
Due from banks	18,653.03	Deposits	93,933.82
Cash on hand	1,011.11		
Total	$114,769.14	Total	$114,769.14

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Statement of

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.,

At close of business, June 30th, 1900, condensed from Report to Corporation Commission.

RESOURCES.		*LIABILITIES.*	
Loans and Discounts	$678,282.43	Capital	$ 25,000.00
Real Estate	3,000.00	Profits—less expenses and taxes paid	25,672.03
Furniture and Fixtures	100.00	Deposits	716,692.80
Burglar Proof Safety Deposit Boxes	100.00		
Cash on hand and due from city banks	65,827.00		
Due from out of town banks	20,105.40		
	$767,364.83		$767,364.83

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF

THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK,

OF WILMINGTON, N. C.
At the close of business June 29, 1900.
(Began business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES.		*LIABILITIES.*	
Loans and discounts	$374,141.07	Capital Stock	$200,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	3,135.00	Profits less expenses	27,818.54
U. S. Bonds	195,100.00	Circulation	147,950.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	6,572.00	Deposits	394,122.77
Five per cent. redemption fund	7,400.00		
Revenue Stamps	456.00		
Office Furniture	750.00		
Cash on hand and in Banks	182,337.24		
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DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.30 P. M., Warsaw 8.41 P. M., Goldsboro 9.37 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 6.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.15 P. M., Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 10.25 A. M., Petersburg 2.37 A. M., Richmond 3.25 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.20 A. M., Philadelphia 10.35 A. M., New York 1.03 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 3.25 P. M — No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.41 P. M., Chadbourn 5.15 P. M., Marion 6.20 P. M., Florence 7.10 P. M., Sumter 8.57 P. M., Columbia 10.20 P. M., Denmark 5.55 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 10.55 P. M., Savannah 1.50 A. M., Jacksonville 7.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.30 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M — No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.05 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.25 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.43 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. — No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston 11.00 P. M., New York *9.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.20 A. M., Baltimore 2.55 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.48 A. M., Norfolk 9.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.55 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.29 P. M., Magnolia 4.35 P. M.

DAILY 9.20 A. M — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12 night, New York 9.00 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., Baltimore 1.46 P. M., Washington 3.07 P. M., Richmond 6.50 P. M., Petersburg 7.33 P. M., †Norfolk 2.20 P. M., Weldon 9.05 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 5.25 A. M., Leave Wilson 5.57 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.38 A. M., Magnolia 7.51 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. — No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.26 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.20 P. M — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 7.10 A. M., Sanford 12.05 P. M., Jacksonville 8.30 P. M., Savannah 2.10 A. M., Charleston 6.48 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M., Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.30 P. M., Denmark 4.24 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M., Florence 9.50 A. M., Marion 10.39 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.08 A. M.

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 6.40 A. M. — No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 2.30 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 3.41 P. M., leave Fayetteville 3.46 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.05 A. M., Maxton 9.10 A. M., Red Springs 9.46 A. M., Hope Mills 10.32 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 P. M., Hope Mills 4.55 P. M., Red Springs 5.35 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

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Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.17 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. m., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.10 A. M. and 2.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.35 A. M. and 6.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11 00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.15 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 A. M.; arrives Smithfield, N. C., 6.40 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.35 A. M.; arrives Goldsboro 9.00 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 3.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.20 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.20 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M.; 5.25 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M., 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily except Sunday, at 7.45 A. M. and 4.25 P. M. Returning, leave Clinton at 6.45 A. M. and 10.50 A. M.

Train leaves Pee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.42 A. M., Rowland 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.00 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.20 P. M., Latta 6.35 P. M., Pee Dee 7.00 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Boardman at 3.00 P. M., Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Conway 7.40 P. M.; leave Conway 8.30 A. M., Chadbourn 11.50 A. M.; arrive Boardman 12.25 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 3.25 P. M., Manning 6.04 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.43 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.34 A. M., Manning 9.09 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.40 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 9.30 A. M., 7.40 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 12.00 M., 9.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 7.00 A. M., 3.30 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.25 A. M.; 5.55 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.50 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.15 A. M., Hartsville 9.15 P. M., Cheraw 11.30 A. M., Wadesboro 12.35 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 7.55 P.M.; arrive Darlington 8.20 P. M., Bennettsville 9.17 P. M., Gibson 10.20 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.30 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.05 A. M.

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Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.59 P. M., 10.40 P. M., arrive Selma 2.48 P. M., 11.24 P. M., Smithfield 3.02 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M., Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 12.19 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M., returning leave Rowland 10.58 A. M., Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., 9.41 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 10.54 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M., 11.33 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.05 A. M., Creston 4.54 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.55 A. M. Returning, leave Denmark 4.24 P. M., Creston 5.22 P. M., Sumter 6.10 P. M. Daily.

Trains leave Creston 5.45 A. M., arrive Pregnalls 9.15 A. M. Returning, leave Pregnalls 10.00 A. M., arrive Creston 3.50 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

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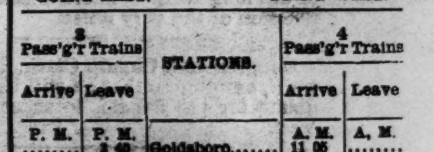
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Time Table No. 9.



To Take Effect Tuesday, Aug. 8, 1899, at 9 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	....
....	4 32	Kinston	10 12	....
5 49	5 50	Newbern	8 57	9 00
7 09	7 07	Morehead City	7 29	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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SUNDAY MORNING, JULY 15, 1900.

GERMAN VIEW OF THE CHINESE SITUATION.

Preparations for the Military Expedition Meets With Unanimous Approval Chinese Duplicity.

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BERLIN, July 14.—Interest in the Chinese enigma here is deepening steadily, both with the government and with the nation. Preparations for a special expedition occupy a large share of public attention. Among the officers who will go to China are a number of the best and most efficient in the German army. A score of them have belonged to the general staff, and the number will include also some who were formerly military instructors in Tien Tsin and elsewhere. Very great care has been taken in selecting the officers and men. The authorities will send only those who are declared fit by the doctors for a lengthy and arduous campaign in a dangerous climate. In a word the German corps is going to be a really elite corps. The circular of the minister of foreign affairs, Count Von Buelow, meets with singularly unanimous approval in the German press, excepting solely the Socialist organs, which continue to abuse the government for its so-called world power policy, claiming it has thereby precipitated the Chinese crisis. The rest of the press and the nation, as a whole, fully endorse Count Von Buelow's policy, classing it as wise, moderate and circumspect. The whole attitude of the nation toward the understanding between the powers excludes the idea of Germany seeking separate advantage from action in China. No ill-will is shown in the press or by the public towards any other power in regard to China, unless in the case of some of the rabid Anglophobe newspapers. The *Duetsche Tages Zeitung* points out that "While all the other powers bend their efforts to subdue China, England alone is prostrate," etc., and with its "small force of mercenaries cannot be trusted," because they are unable to "take an adequate part in such tasks of civilization." The paper adds: "England is thus forced to rely on Japan to get her chestnuts from the fire. England's impotence is mainly owing to her unrighteous South African war and the legitimate interests of the whole civilization now thereby suffer." But this portion of the German press has no influence.

Lieutenant General Pechhammer, in *Die Woche*, discusses the military situation in China, pointing out the difficulties of a campaign there for the allies, including the climate, commissiriat, housing, roads, possible lack of harmony, and international jealousies, saying: "China evidently largely counts on the latter, or else she would not have been bold enough to defy the whole western combination. She expects a large mortality among the European troops during the raing season just setting in there."

The government here remains without confirmatory news of the losses and risings in the Kiao Chow District.

The newspapers are calling attention to the alleged existence of a "Chinese campaign of lies," citing as proof the text of a number of recent statements of the Chinese authorities, expressing the belief that the Chinese therewith are cunningly attempting to sow discord in the ranks of the powers. The *Vossische Zeitung* thinks China will not succeed in this, "as even Russia has now been forced to acknowledge Chinese duplicity," proofs of which the *Vossische Zeitung* prints in a St. Petersburg special, saying that Russian troops, on June 24th, intercepted an imperial edict which ordered the regular troops in the Russian sphere of influence to join the Boxers in fighting the "foreign devils." The *Vossische Zeitung* strongly argues that it is quite probable there has not been any palace revolution in Pekin, and that the Dowager Empress still directs the policy of China, with or without Prince Tuan's approval, citing internal evidence to that effect.

A number of German papers contain communications condemning further sales of ships, ammunition and arms to China. One letter is from a retired German general, deploring the fact that German soldiers in China are being killed with German Krupps and Mausers.

NEW YORK COTTON FUTURES.

Market Closed Steady With Prices Twelve to Thirteen Points Lower.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of 3 to 7 points, following a severe break in the English market. Immediately after the call the market developed weakness of its own under generally bearish advices from the crop country. The official weather chart indicated warm showers in nearly every portion of the cotton territory, which previous dispatches stated were timely and would greatly benefit the crop. On the decline Liverpool and continental operators were liberal sellers of the August contract which easily led the rest of the list in the downward course. The South sold the distant months; room shorts quietly gathered in profits, while longs sold out, having become tired of the unsatisfactory tactics of the market. Trading was fairly active for a Saturday half holiday, though new speculation, especially for the outside, did not come to light. The bulls were disquieted by the gloomy political outlook in China. The market for futures closed steady, with prices net twelve to fourteen points lower, having broke near the close under the bull stampede and heavy bear hammering. The fears of holders are based upon expected weak cables Monday and favorable weather predictions. August longs were panic-stricken and dumped over great blocks of old long stuff. There was a slight reaction at the very finish.

Congressman Champ Clark, of Missouri, announces that he will be a candidate for the Senate, to succeed Mr. Vest.

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NO CHANGE IN THE CHINESE SITUATION

Persistent Reports from Shanghai That Foreigners at Pekin Were Annihilated

ARE GENERALLY ACCEPTED.

Situation Growing Worse Instead of Better—Boxer Movement is Spreading. The Allies at Tien Tsin Fortifying Their Positions.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—A Shanghai dispatch, published here to-day, says:

"Prince Sheng, the director of telegraphs, has communicated a message to the consuls here announcing the murder of the foreigners, and laying the blame on the anti-foreign General Tung Fun Siang."

The message says that Tung, enraged by the defence made by the British legation, ordered the heavy guns to fire, demolishing the legations and setting the ruins aflame. The result was the annihilation of the foreigners.

Advices From Admiral Remey.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Secretary Long to day received the following cablegram from Rear Admiral Remey, commander-in-chief of the naval forces in the Asiastic station:

"*Che Foo, July 14th.*—To Secretary Navy, Washington.—Two Japanese transports arrived to day and landed commander, marine regiment, stores, field pieces and ammunition. Report Chinese defeated at two new positions, commanding the river communication with Tien Tsin.

"REMEY."

The importance of the cablegram, in the opinion of Secretary Long, lies in the fact that it makes no mention of the reported massacre at Pekin, which it would surely do, had the story come to Admiral Remey's ear.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Secretary Hay has received an undated dispatch from Consul General Goodnow, at Shanghai, stating that the governor of Honan Shansi has issued a proclamation favorable in its terms to the Boxers. Honan Shansi is the province lying immediately northwest of Shanghai and between that city and Pekin.

Consul General Goodnow's short dispatch goes to confirm the general belief that the situation in China is steadily growing worse instead of better. The Honan Shansi referred to by Mr. Goodnow as the place where the viceroy appears to favor the Boxers, is said at the State Department to be actually two separate provinces of vast extent lying in the western and northern portions of China. Shansi, meaning western island, is the province lying directly west of Chili in which Pekin is located. Honan adjoins Shansi on the South. The two present an almost impassible barrier if, as Mr. Goodnow's dispatch indicate, they are disaffected and undertake to oppose the northward march of the armies of Li Hung Chang and the other great southern viceroys upon Pekin. The consul general's message was undated, and as this lack of knowledge as to the exact time of happenings recorded in the cablegrams of the naval and State Department officials is embarrassing, and even serious in results, the government here to-day cabled instructions to its representatives in China to include the date in the body of every dispatch sent by them.

Allies Fortifying Tien Tsin.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 14.—A dispatch from Khabarovsk, dated Thursday, July 12th, says an international council of war, held at Tien Tsin, has decided for the present to confine the efforts of the allied forces to fortifying Tien Tsin and establishing safe communication with the Taku forts and arsenals. Tien Tsin, it is added, is being re-armed with guns of the highest class.

HONG KONG, July 14.—Li Hung Chang yesterday received an urgent telegraphic summons to Pekin. It is reported that he will proceed north tomorrow. The Chinese agree that his absence is certain to lead to trouble.

LONDON, July 14.—The British consul general at Shanghai, in transmitting to the Foreign Office messages from the governor of Shan Tung, already published, says he fears there can be little doubt in regard to the fate of the foreigners at Pekin.

The Russian Minister at Pekin.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 14.—It is officially stated that no report of the murder of M. De Giers, the Russian minister at Pekin, has been received here.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The Russian embassy here has received no information of the killing of the Russian minister at Pekin. The officials say that the Russians are under the same disadvantage as the other powers in getting telegraphic information from Pekin. No confirmation has reached the State Department of the report from St. Petersburg of the torture and death of the Russian minister at Pekin.

From Japanese Sources.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The Japanese legation add somewhat to the fund of information from Pekin by an official dispatch from the Minister of Foreign Affairs at Tokio, dated the sixth instant, giving considerable explanatory detail of the conditions following the murder of Baron von Ketteler. The following is a summarary of the calebgram:

"According to a telegram from the Minister of Foreign Affairs the reports brought by Chinese couriers from Pekin to Tien Tsin appear to confirm the rumors of the destruction of the legation and murder of the German minister. The minister, it appears, was shot on the way and carried into the Tsung Li Yamen, where he expired shortly afterward. Upon learning of his death, the German marines rushed into the Tsung Li Yamen and burned it down. It is further reported that the foreign reinforcements which left for Pekin on June 10th advanced as far as Lang Fang, but, after terrible suffering, returned to Tien Tsin on the 26th. The allied forces destroyed several arsenals at Tien Tsin, their losses being nearly three hundred killed and wounded. From June 27th to July 1st, no further fighting took place, but Chinese troops, about 20,000 strong, were said to be advancing on Tien Tsin from the north.

GOLD DEMOCRATS.

Call for a Meeting to Nominate Candidates for President and Vice President.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—A committee of Gold Democrats issued a call for a meeting in this city July 18th to devise the best method of placing in nomination a third ticket for President and Vice President upon a platform "denouncing and combatting the falacious and unconstitutional crisis of the old parties." The call is signed by Gold Democrats of New York, Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Colorado.

CAN GET NO INFORMATION.

The Chinese Minister at Washington Receives No Answer to Cables Concerning Minister Conger.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The Chinese minister continues to exert his efforts toward getting information from Pekin but up to a late hour of the day he had not received any answer in connection with the cipher cable to Minister Conger, or from the second inquiry which he forwarded yesterday. This second dispatch was to the Taotai of Shanghai and said in substance:

"American government and people greatly concerned over safety of Minister Conger at Fekin. Can you give me any information on the subject?"

The Taotai of Shanghai is a high official who will be apt to get the earliest reliable information, and this personal appeal of the minister may bring some reliable news on the situation.

Minister Wu was much depressed by continued reports that the legations had been wiped out and the ministers murdered. To all inquiry, he sorrowfully shakes his head and says that he has absolutely no information and can only hope for the best. The report of the killing of the Russian minister and his wife was another severe blow, but as to this also Mr. Wu said that he had absolutely no news.

A rumor was afloat this morning to the effect that certain interviews attributed to the Chinese minister here, Mr. Wu, had attracted official attention and might be made the subject of representations to him by the State Department. It is understood that nothing has yet been done in that direction, however, and it is possible that the particular interview may be ignored officially in view of the realization on the part of the officials that the minister is under high nervous tension.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

British Engaged the Boers, Fighting All Day Long—Movements in Orange River Colony.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, July 14.—A report from Platkop says that the British engaged the Boers all day long. Scouts and mounted infantry moving north located the Boers, a thousand strong, occupying a ridge from which they were driven yesterday. Colonel Thorneycroft's men held the ridge facing them. Members of the Strathcona horse were driven in temporarily by a heavy musketry fire. After a stubborn resistance the Boers forced the British to bring the Howitzers into action. The infantry deployed for a general advance under Clery's direction. The Boers opened fire in all directions, shelling with the guns posted on the British right. The mounted infantry, in the face of a severe fire, attacked the Boers. The gun posted on an entrenched kopje, four miles to the east, forced the Boers from a number of ridges, detached parties retiring on the center, while a gun on the right was withdrawn through a ravine to an entrenched hill.

SENEKAL, ORANGE RIVER COLONY, July 14.—General Rundle's rapid advance has, it is said, forced the Boers into an obviously bad corner. President Steyn is reported to have given up all hope after the loss of Bethlehem, and would have surrendered but General DeWet threatened to shoot him, and it is believed Steyn was imprisoned in his own lager.

Captain Driscoll, of "D" scouts, who went alone to Zuring Kranz to view the Boer positions, was surprised at breakfast by four Boer scouts. He picked up his rifle and commanded them to surrender or he would shoot. The four at once surrendered, although Driscoll was ten miles away from the main body of the scouts and close to a large Boer force.

BOUNDARY LINE QUESTION.

Settled by the U. S. Court of Appeals in Favor of Tennessee.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, July 14.—The United States Court of Appeals has settled a question of boundary line between Tennessee and North Carolina, in favor of Tennessee. It arose from two grants of the same land to different persons. D. W. Belding had a grant from North Carolina based on the assumption that the line ran on the Fodder Stack mountain. Tennessee made a grant for the same property to Charles Hobard, assuming that the State line was on the eastern side of the Hangover range. The original line was marked by blazing trees. After much investigation by a master it was decided that the Hangover range was the line boundary and the court approved the finding.

RUSSIA MAKES DENIAL.

Contradicts Reports That She is Standing in the Way of Japan.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The Russian government through its officials here has, within the last few days, expressed to the State Department its complete approval of the dispatch of Japanese troops to China, there to cooperate with the allied forces in the interest of humanity. At the same time the Russian officials have taken occasion to emphatically contradict the constantly reiterated report that Russia was standing in the way of Japan forwarding troops, and was in this way rendering more hazardous the conditions in and about Pekin.

In this connection it can be stated that recent reports of Russian cruelty toward Chinese non-combatants are emphatically repudiated by the Russian authorities, who feel that this is another effort to prejudice Russia in the eyes of America.

SEVERE EARTHQUAKES,

Five Villages Destroyed—Six Persons Killed and Nine Injured.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 14.—Severe earthquakes in the Kars and Kagyrman districts of the Caucasus mountains resulted in the destruction of five villages, several churches and many houses. Six persons were killed and nine injured. Additional shocks are being reported.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered intensely for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in ten days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Burns, Boils, Pain or Piles it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

Read the advertisement of the East Carolina Real Estate Agency in this issue of the STAR. It offers for sale some very valuable farms. †

ADMIRAL KEMPFF'S OFFICIAL REPORT.

Showing Operations of the American Forces in China Up to June 5th.

FIRST TO REACH TIEN TSIN.

One Hundred Armed Marines and Sailors Landed at Taku Under Command of Captain McCalla—Arrival of the Forces at Tien Tsin.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—In the mail from China to day Secretary of the Navy Long received from Admiral Kempff a report of the American operations in China up to June 5 The reports is as follows:

"*U. S. Flagship Newark, Taku, China, June 5.*—SIR—I have the honor to report that 5:00 A. M. May 29th, I received a telephone message and at 6 A. M., in compliance with orders which I immediately issued to the commanding officer of this ship, 100 armed men, consisting of forty marines and sixty sailors were landed at Taku. Capt. B. A. McCalla, U. S. N., in charge.

"Taking the first party which arrived on shore, consisting of thirty-seven marines, to the railroad station to Teng Ku, they were refused passage on the train to Tien Tsin owing to the agent being unwilling to assume the responsibility of issuing tickets to an armed force without orders from the directors of the road. This portion of the landing party was then returned to Taku, where by this time all of the force had arrived. Procuring a tug and lighter from the Taku Tug and Lighter Company, the entire force was sent to Tien Tsin by river, Commander J. K. Meyers, U. S. N., in command, Captain McCalla and paymaster Jewett proceeding by train at 1.44 P. M.

"The landing party reached Tien Tsin at 10 o'clock P. M., where they were received with demonstrations of joy by the foreign population, they being the first Caucasian troops to arrive. I remained at Taku with my personal staff.

"On May 30th, at 1.44, I proceeded to Tien Tsin for the purpose of examining as well as I might the state of affairs. On this day the English ship Algerine came in and landed twenty-seven men and sent them to Tien Tsin, and ships of various other nations began arriving and preparing to land troops. On May 31st, having obtained permission of the Chinese government, I sent fifty men from Tien Tsin to Pekin, in company with about 300 troops of various nationalities. They left at 4.15 P. M., Capt. McCalla in command, and arrived at the railroad line at 6.45 P. M., and marched to the legations, having encountered not the slightest opposition on the way or in the city.

"I returned on board ship June 2d, and on June 3d Capt. McCalla, after seeing that our men on shore were properly cared for and that everything was in a satisfactory condition, returned on board ship.

"I take pleasure in saying that our officers and men on shore have, by their conduct and management, contributed in every way to the high standard of efficiency held by the navy.

"At 9 P. M. yesterday I received a message indicating that affairs were again in a critical condition. A party of fifty more men were landed from this ship at 6 A. M., and Captain McCalla has again gone ashore. Ensign C. E. Gilpin, U. S. N., and Naval Cadet C. E. Courtney, who returned with Captain McCalla from the first landing party, were the officers.

"The department was informed by cable message and the commander in chief was similarly informed, and requested to send a light draft vessel here for use in the river as a base of supplies for the force on shore. As the disturbance here is likely to be of such a prolonged nature as to require the protracted stay of a vessel here ready to land men on short notice, as mentioned in my message, I consider a light draft vessel which can be stationed inside of the river where communication is certain, with a battalion of marines, almost indispensable to the present trouble, in order to effectively protect American interests and property in this locality. A list of the foreign ships now at anchor with the vessels inside the river, is herewith enclosed, marked "2." Other nations are landing troops to-day in response to the message received last night."

NORTH GERMAN LLOYD LINE.

Loss to the Company by the Fire at Hoboken Will Be Fully $4,000,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 14.—The directors of the North German Lloyd Line Company have decided to grant the widows and orphans of the victims who lost their lives at the recent fire in Hoboken an extra allowance in addition to the regular pension granted by the company. The amount of the extra allowance has not yet been decided upon. General Agent Schwab was advised by cable of the action taken by the directors of the company. According to a prominent official it will cost the company $5,000,000 in paying pensions to the dependents of the victims. Besides paying these pension claims, it will be compelled to bear the burden of building the new docks, which is estimated at about $1,900,000, and reconstructing the steamships Saale and Bremen, which will probably cost about $1,000,000 more. The Main, it is believed, is a total wreck and will prove a total loss to the company of about $1,500,000. Thus the company has suffered a loss of fully $4,000,000 as a result of the fire, in addition to the large amount that it will have to pay out in annual pensions.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Result of Base Ball Games Played Yesterday by the Clubs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

New York—New York, 0; Brooklyn, 1.

Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 1; Boston, 0.

Cincinnati — Cincinnati, 1; St. Louis, 4.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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THE CENSUS BUREAU.

Will Announce Population of Important Cities Before Giving the Figures of States and Territories.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The census office issued its first bulletin to-day giving the population of the District of Columbia at 278,718. This is an increase since the last census of 48,326, or 20.98 per cent.

In announcing the result of the canvass of the city of Washington, the director of the census desires to state that the policy heretofore pursued of making a preliminary or rough count, based on a hurried computation of names on the population schedules, will be abandoned. It is the purpose of the officials of the bureau to give out figures for cities or States predicted entirely upon data ascertained through the medium of the tabulating machines. The population of the more important cities will be announced in advance of the the figures of States and territories. Unless all plans fail, it is confidently expected that the official count of the population of the United States will be given to the public on or about the 1st of December, 1900.

ANXIOUS TO SERVE IN CHINA.

Applications to War Department—Rough Riders Want to Take a Hand.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Applications continue to come to the War Department from persons who are anxious to serve in the army during a campaign in China. To-day's mail brought a letter from Secretary Culey, of the National Rough Riders' military encampment, dated at Shenandoah, Colorado, offering to raise a company of one thousand men or more.

Adjutant General Corbin, in reply, has informed the writer that the Executive has no authority to accept more organizations than are now in service; still, the men desiring China service may be enlisted individually by the army recruiting officers in the principal cities. The men can select their regiments.

WARM WIRELETS

The North German Lloyd steamer Saale was floated out of the mud cradle which surrounded her yesterday. Fifty-six bodies have been recovered from the Saale.

General rain has fallen over nearly all of India during the past few days and the prospects for crops have improved immensely. The famine areas have generally been benefitted.

Several additional cotton mills at Fall River, Mass., notified their employes that on Monday they will begin the shut down agreed upon in order to curtail production.

It is announced that James E. Boyd, of North Carolina, having been appointed a U. S. Judge, has resigned as a member of the Republican National Committee and Senator J. C. Pritchard has been chosen in his place.

At Chillicothe, Ohio, Richard Gardner, colored, charged with criminally assaulting little Ethel Long, white, was convicted of murder in the first degree. The verdict was greeted with cheers.

A report from Fumsu, Ashanti, says that a runner from Kumassi reports that the garrison is almost without food. Colonel Willcox recently inspected the troops at Bokwar. The date for the advance on Kumassi has been fixed at Friday, July 13th.

Mr. Bryan spent nearly all yesterday in disposing of accumulated correspondence and for some days it is expected he will devote himself to preparing drafts of speeches for the coming campaign.

J. H. Haskins Hobson, State chairman of the Populist party in Virginia, announces his purpose to support Bryan and Stevenson, and says he will use his utmost influence to prevent the putting up of another electoral ticket in that State.

United States Senator John Henry Gear, of Burlington, Iowa, died in Washington yesterday of heart failure. While Senator Gear had been in ill health for a year or more, death came to him entirely unexpectedly. He was in excellent spirits Friday night.

Comptroller General Wright of Georgia issued a premptory order against the Plant system, demanding the payment of taxes on $750,000 worth of property in Georgia, which the State claims the company did not include in its recent property returns.

At the battlefield reunion in Atlanta, Colonel W. C. P. Breckenridge and his brother, General Jos. C. Breckenridge, have been invited to speak. Col. Breckenridge has accepted. In the battles around Atlanta Col. Breckenridge commanded a regiment of Confederate cavalry and Gen. Breckenridge commanded a battery of Federal artillery.

The Union Station Company, to be chartered as a railroad company, has formed to build a Union Passenger station and terminal in Savannah. The company will be capitalized at $300,000 and will erect a brick and granite station to be used by the Seaboard, Southern and Plant railway systems.

The statement of the Associated Banks for the week ending to-day shows the follows changes: Surplus reserve, increase $4,370,925; loans, decrease $1,654,900; specie, increase $4,386,700; legal tenders, increase $394,800; deposits, increase $1,640,300; circulation, increase, $286,800. The banks now hold $19,960,125 in excess of legal requirements.

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125 Barrels ½ Flour.
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450 Bales Hay.
211 Barrels Sugar.
900 Bushels Corn.
840 Bushels Va. Meal.
200 Dozen Oysters.
180 Dozen Salmon.

W. B. COOPER,

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Wilmington, N. C.

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Piano for Sale.—A large, really good second-hand piano. Bruce Williams, Burgaw, N. C. thu sun jy 12 2t*

Sweet Florida Pineapples—Two hundred must be sold to-day, 10c and 15c each. Call early. 'Phone 439. T. D. Love. jy 14 tf

Now is the time to have your tires put on for the Summer, thereby saving rims. Marshall's Iron and Wood Work Shops, Seventeenth and Market streets. jy 13 tf

Notice—A Canning Factory for sale. On Monday, July 16th, 1900, at 12 o'clock M., we will sell at the Court House door in Whiteville, N. C., for cash, the Columbus Canning Co. outfit. E. S. Lewis, Dr. W. Ross Davis. jy 11 4t*

Photographs—At gallery next to Yates' book store, 119½ Market street. Cronenberg will be glad to have his old and also new patrons. Special prices for Tournament week. H. Cronenberg. jy 10 1w

Choice Timothy Hay, Clover Hay, Straw, fresh ground Meal, Pearl Hominy, Flour, Grain and everything in the Feed line for horses, cows and chickens. John S. McEachern, 211 Market street. Telephones No. 92. jy 8 tf

Wilmington, N. C., July 6th, 1900—Escaped from City Pound, strayed, Steer, brindle, gray tip tail, broad wide horns, upper-square right ear, crop off left. Weight 672 pounds. Liberal reward to person returning to City Pound. J. F. Garrell. jy 7 tf

Apples, Peaches and Honey—I am receiving daily Apples, Peaches, Butter, Chickens, Eggs, Bananas, Lemons, Oranges, etc. Also, a nice lot of Block Honey now on hand. Persons wishing to buy or ship anything of the kind will do well to see or write me. A. S. Winstead, Commission Merchant, 113 and 115 North Second street, Wilmington, N. C. jy 1 tf

Don't forget the place when you want your Piano or Organ tuned and put in first class shape. Better have it looked after now and avoid the destruction the moths will make. John G. Russell, corner Fourth and Grace streets. Bell 'Phone 198. jy 1 tf

For Sale—Property northeast corner Fourth and Walnut. Lot 50x256. House three stories, ten rooms, kitchen and pantry. Also, Store north of above used as Piano Wareroom. Apply to R. E. VanLaer or Bellamy & Peschau. je 28 1w

For Sale—Hand-made Buggies of different makes. Also Harness of all kinds; and prices to suit the times. Come and see me when in need of something nice. F. H. Hayden. sep 24 tf

Watermelons.

First car-load of the season now due.

Georgia Melons,

which must be promptly sold.

Offers received on all or part.

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Wholesale Grocers.

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Attention!

Fruit Growers and Beach Residents.

We have just received a car-load of

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Let us have your orders. We would respectfully call the attention of the hotels and families living on the Beaches to our line of

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Boat leaves Wilmington for Carolina Beach 6 A. M., 9.15 A. M., 2.45 P. M., 5.15 P. M. and 7.30 P. M

FOR WILMINGTON.

Trains leave Beach at 7 A. M., 1 P. M., 3.30 P. M., 6 P. M. and 8.30 P. M.

Fare to the Pier and return on the 5.15 and 7.30 boat 15 cents.

No 7.30 boat from Wilmington and no 8.30 train from Beach on Monday and Saturday.

Leave Wilmington Sunday at 10.00 A. M. 2.30 P. M. and 7.30 P. M.

Leave Beach Sunday at 12.30 P. M., 6 P. M. and 8.30 P. M.

FOR SOUTHPORT.

Boat leaves Wilmington at 9.15 A. M.

FOR WILMINGTON.

Boat leaves Southport at 12 M.

Two hundred tickets will be given away every week for Saturday's boats. Apply to S. W. Sanders, "Unlucky Corner."

jy 9 tf J. W. HARPER.

Summer Clearance Sale

by the Fishblate Clothing Co.

Commencing Monday.

FOR CASH ONLY balance of stock AT COST

and some less than cost. All Summer Goods must go.

White Duck Double-breasted Vests,	50 cents
Silk Bosom Shirts,	39 cents
Linen Crash Suits,	$1.00
Linen Hats,	15 cents worth 50 cents
All Wool Cassimere Suits,	$7.50 worth $12.50
All Wool Flannel Suits,	$7.00 worth 12.50
All Wool Suits,	$6.00 worth 10.00

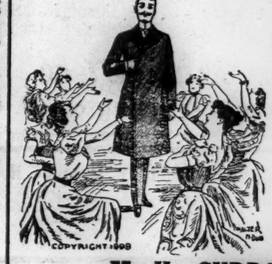
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Call early and get your size.

Fishblate Clothing Company.

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A BIG REDUCTION IN SUITS TO ORDER



THIS WEEK, so as to make room for Fall goods. Drop in and look over our stock. Bargains we are offering will catch you. We are offering English, French and Scotch Serges, Cheviots, Unfinished Worsteds and Cassimeres.

Just received by Express an elegant line of Negligee Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Washable Ties.

Did you ever try a Japanese Handkerchief? They are elegant for Summer use.

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Wilmington's Big Racket Store stands for one of the advantages of the city, where visitors find a welcome and can add business to pleasure and find their wants easily supplied and at prices they never have been able to get before.

We have had a good trade. Our store has been crowded. Every department has been filled up, and, judging from the amount of money we took in and the quantity of goods we sent out, they must have all been well satisfied.

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We have an immense stock of staple Dry Goods, and we have got to move. Our handsome new store will be ready for us by October 1st, and I am going to sell out as many Goods as possible before then.

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Boys' Wash Suits we sold at 75c to 98c, now 50c.

Aycock Hats from 75c to $2.25.

Men's Black Alpacca Coats at 85c.

Men's Wash Coats at 45c.

Men's Derby Hats I sold at 75c, now 35c.

One hundred and fifty Men's and Boys' Straw Hats to close out at 10c and 15c; sold at 25c and 50c.

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Men's Coat Springs at 7c each.

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Ladies' Slippers, with Buckle and Strap, at 45c a pair.

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